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ALL BRITISHERS EXCEPT MACDONALD PLEAD NOT GUILTY

Out Of The Gloaming.

Berlin newspapers regard the Moscow trial as a "farce" staged to divert the attention of Russians from their internal affairs. Nazis would have been more realistic, with a few revolvers and bludgeons, and staged a tragedy, instead.

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Hitler, of course, is no great believer in trials, judicial or otherwise. Nazis have patented their own methods, which are at least quicker than a Moscow trial. Moscow is already a bit old-fashioned.

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Reuter who has been all along acting as a sort of super-judge and commentator in general has already pronounced sentence, though the prejudiced Bolshie judge is taking time to consider. The Britishers are to be exiled from Russia instead of receiving swords of honour like Dyer of Jallianwala Bagh memory. Such is Soviet justice!

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But we must accept the statement of the Foreign Office that none of the accused was concerned with espionage; only some of them were intelligence officers. Like some of our own Criminal Intelligence agents who only do the dirty work in their spare time as a sort of secondary occupation.

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Pandit Santanam wanted to move an amendment asking the Indian Merchants' Federation to make an appeal to gold exporting firms, to stop it. The President, in ruling him out of order permitted him to appeal for united action. It will doubtless come in the form of a combine of gold exporters.

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Even the "F. P. J." is angry with the exporters of gold and asks plaintively how there could be a Reserve Bank and gold exports simultaneously. It should ask Sir Purshotamdas and Mr. Birla or Mr. Chunilal Mehta. They could give the answer off-hand. There is perfect team work in Bombay between patriotism and profit.

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Sir Chimanlal Setalvad in a message to the Calcutta Liberal Conference suggests the sending of a deputation for improving the W. P. proposals. The suggestion is superfluous. Sir Samuel and the Viceroy are selecting a deputation for them.

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Mr. Sastri says that our political fortunes are so low that "he would have withdrawn the national demand for a while." This looks suspiciously like no-co-operation but it isn't. It is a cry of sheer despair.

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"If we have wisdom, if we have experience, if we have moderation, if we have power of persuasion, quiet influence and real efficiency; if we have all these virtues, this is the time to display them in their fullest strength." This is the same Mr. Sastri, orating. They are displaying all these virtues. What we miss in them is a little healthy vice.

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Not satisfied with this, the Rt. Hon. Privy Councillor further says: "I, therefore, am deliberately of opinion that they are wrong who would say 'Let us leave things to themselves' ". He leaves it all to Hoare.

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The Government of Bengal in their supreme generosity have decided, after much cogitation, to devote one whole lakh of rupees for unemployment. Other supplementary methods for relief have been more prompt. Nearly three thousand young men are being fed by Government in detention camps.

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We do not know the exact number of unemployed in Bengal, but they must be several lakhs. One lakh will be divided among them, we suppose, on communal, religious and caste bases according to W. P. scheme.

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The "Indian Social Reformer" refuses to wear Khadi as a "symbol of patriotism", for we are sententiously told that "patriotism is not to be worn on one's sleeves, but to be felt in the heart." A perfect conscientious objector this "I.S.R."

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We do not know what it thinks of the "Buy British" or "Buy American" or similar movements in other countries, where they believe in patriotism. There they insist on wearing these "symbols of patriotism" on one's body and not hiding it in one's heart.

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"How do you like that second-hand car you bought some months ago?" Briggs asked his neighbour. "Still giving satisfaction?"

The car-owner shook his head. "I don't like it at all," he replied; "it makes so much noise I can't hear anything my wife says."

Briggs looked thoughtful.

"How much will you sell it to me for?" he asked.

All Russians Plead Guilty

THORNTON & MONKHOUSE INSIST ON INNOCENCE

Last Day Sensation In Moscow Trial: Delay In Judgment

MOSCOW, April 18.

On the last day of the trial, the Court was packed with excited crowd in expectation of verbal fireworks from the British defence Counsels, especially Mr. Braude, counsel for Thornton, who has defended nearly all the sensational Soviet trials in recent years.

Mr. Braude declared that Thornton had retracted all that he had said to the O.G.P.U. He would, doubtless, convince the Judge that Thornton was not guilty.

WANTED MERELY ECONOMIC INFORMATION.

Mr. Braude declared that some of the Russians, who had accused Thornton of corrupting them, were sabotageurs themselves, before Thornton met them, Russians, who sold their country and gave information to Thornton in the hope of financial gain.

Thornton desired information because he believed that Russia would one day be a competitor to England. Any bribes that Thornton foolishly gave, were for economic information, and not for espionage. Bribery is more customary in England than in Russia.

Mr. Braude spoke for 45 minutes followed by M. Dalmatovsky, who, defending Nordwall, demanded his client's acquittal.

IMPRESSION IN FAVOUR OF NORDWALL.

M. Dalmatovsky emphasised that Nordwall had not much connection with Lobanoff and his group of sabotageurs. Also neither MacDonald nor Lebedieff testified that Nordwall was a sabotageur.

As a result of Dalmatovsky's plea, the impression that Nordwall will be released is greatly strengthened.

Gregory's counsel did not plead as Gregory's release is certain.

INSUFFICIENT EVIDENCE.

Lidoff, on behalf of Cushny, denied all the charges, and said that the documentary evidence was insufficient against him. Cushny refused to admit accusations, because he had strong conviction of his innocence.

MacDonald making plea, concluded "I am guilty. I have nothing to add."

COMMON BOND

M. Komodoff, defending Monkhouse, declared that Monkhouse was arrested for espionage, sabotage and bribery, but he denied the charges. He would not attempt to throw the guilt on other accused. The long residence of Monkhouse and Thornton in Russia was a common bond between them. Evidence shows that Thornton has not disclosed to Monkhouse all his activities.

Following MacDonald's plea of guilty, Nordwall declared, "I am not guilty and remain friend of the Soviet Union".

Cushny said: "I am not guilty Whatever the verdict, I shall leave the Court an honest man."

MONKHOUSE PLEADS INNOCENT.

Monkhouse stated, "It has been said I deceived British Government regarding my eighteen hours' cross-examination. That's not true and I was misled. I plead innocent to all three charges."

THORNTON PLEADS NOT GUILTY.

Thornton said: "I have pleaded not guilty at beginning of trial, and I plead not guilty now".

RUSSIANS PLEAD GUILTY.

All Russians pleaded guilty. Court retired at 3-30 p. m. to consider verdict.

Though the judges retired at 3/30 p. m. the verdict is not expected before late to-night, since according to the Russian custom Judge Ulrich must write his entire speech together with verdicts in his own handwriting.

An excited crowd filled the court for the last day's proceedings, which were devoted to the speeches for the defence and the prisoners' pleas.

MACDONALD PLEADS GUILTY.

All Russians pleaded guilty and all Britishers not guilty, except Mr. MacDonald who with the head bowed and looking very pale and careworn, said in a low voice speaking Russian, "I plead guilty."

Other Englishmen spoke English.

Monkhouse asserting his innocence to all the charges declared that he never spied and never bribed, while it was incomprehensible that he should be charged with wrecking, pointing out that he took natural pride in the development of electrification of Russia in which he had taken an enormous part.

Cushny declared that evidence against him had been torn to sheds, and Thornton describing the evidence as unreliable repeated his earlier plea of not guilty.

NORDWALL INSISTS ON INNOCENCE.

While Nordwall, who also insisted on his innocence, affirmed that he had always done what he could for socialism. He said "both after the evidence and after, fairness, I have received from the O. G. P. U. after my arrest, I remain a friend of the Soviet Union."

Gregory, whose innocence the prosecution has already conceded, made no plea.

KELKAR SAILING FOR ENGLAND

To Participate In Joint Committee

POONA, April 18.

It is learnt that Mr. N. C. Kelkar had further communication from the Reforms Office in connection with his participation in the Joint Parliamentary Committee, following which, he has booked his passage by S. S. Viceroy" of India, due to sail from Bombay on April 22.

Owing to his weak state of health, Mr. Kelkar is seeking medical advice, upon which the date of his sailing will depend.—A. P.

BIMETALLISM FOR WORLD

Roosevelt Seeks International Agreement

HULL - LINDSAY PARLEYS

Move To Prevent Fluctuation ?

NEW YORK, April 18.

Senate's rejection of free coinage of silver in ratio of 16 to one with gold is attributed, according to a message received from Washington by the "New York Times," to the fact that President Roosevelt may seek to make with Britain, France, Germany, Italy and Japan an international agreement on the basis of bimetallism.

The object of such a treaty will be to establish a firm ratio between the currencies of all the countries in order to prevent fluctuation in International Exchange.

The method of accomplishing this has already been discussed between Mr. Hull and Mr. Lindsay. It is pointed out that a multilateral treaty of this kind will mean an international campaign for silver purchase.—Reuter.

Ranchi.—Sir Fakhruddin, the Education Minister, who submitted his resignation day before yesterday is slightly better.—A.P.

"ASSESSORS" FOR JOINT

Leaving By "Viceroy Of India"

Number To Be 24 Instead Of 20 ?

(From Our Correspondent).

SIMLA, April 18.

I understand that the number of Indian Delegates to the Joint Committee will be 24, instead of 20. Though most of them are sailing by the "Viceroy of India" from Bombay, on Saturday, the official list will not be published till to-morrow evening.

Sir B. L. Mitter, Law Member, will be among the passengers by the Saturday's steamer.

SIMULTANEOUS ANNOUNCEMENT

SIMLA, April 18.

It is expected that most of the Delegates from India to the Indian Wing of the Joint Select Committee, will leave by the "Viceroy of India" on April 22. The delay in publication of the Official List of the Delegates has been due to certain developments, which occured at the end of last week, but, simultaneous announcement, both, in India and London is anticipated to-morrow evening.

The number of the delegates has been increased as a result of the cable correspondence during the last few days between Whitehall and the Viceroy's Camp, and it is believed that, it will be about two dozens. These delegates are independent of the invitees to the Conference on the Reserve Bank and the Statutory Railway Board, official announcement regarding which is also expected this week. —A.P.

"ASSESSORS" TO BE ABOUT 28 ?

SIMLA, April 18.

The latest information is that the number of delegates from British India and Indian States to the Joint Parliamentary Committee is now expected to be in the neighbourhood of 28.—A. P.

NO FREE COINAGE OF SILVER

U. S. Senate Turns Down Proposal

STRONG SENTIMENT IN COUNTRY FOR SOME KIND OF INFLATION, SAYS RAINY

WASHINGTON, April 17.

The U. S. Senate by 43 votes to 33 rejected the proposal of free coinage of silver in ratio of 16 to 1 with gold which was expressly disapproved by Mr. Roosevelt, according to Senator Robinson, pending the introduction of silver inflation legislation.

Mr. Robinson announced that Mr. Roosevelt wanted all inflation amendments in the Farm Bill to be defeated.

"SOME KIND OF EXPANSION."

Speaker Rainy said that to-day he personally favoured some kind of expansion in currency and preferred that it should take the form of remonetization of silver.

Describing himself as "irreconcilable with Bryan the 16 to 1 man" Mr. Rainey said that the trouble was silver advocates could not agree to any one plan. He added that he had neither discussed remonetization of silver with Mr. Roosevelt nor did he know the administration's attitude.

"There a strong sentiment throughout the country for some kind of inflation."

Mr. Rainey further said that he would not take the initiative in regard to silver legislation but would leave it with Mr. Roosevelt. He added that President's views could not be obtained until after his discussion with representatives from England and France during the next week.

"I think that United States can go ahead with the plan to remonetize silver without agreement with England and France but it would be better to get concurrence of those countries." If silver amendment in the Farm Bill is killed Mr. Rainey does not think that "it will kill silver issue."—Reuter's Special.

GIRL REFUSES TO FOLLOW IN MOTHER'S FOOTSTEPS

Informs Her Fiance Who Rescues Her In Time

—PROSECUTION STORY

MOTHER, PARAMOUR & "CUSTOMER" IN COURT: GIRL'S EVIDENCE

Interesting evidence was recorded on Tuesday noon in the case in which three Hindus, including a woman have been charged under Section 372, and 373, (selling and buying a minor girl for the purpose of prostitution) before Mr. D. N. D. Khandwala, Acting Chief Presidency Magistrate.

Opening the case for the prosecution, Mr. Manker stated that the accused No. 1 (Bhimabai Kelkar) had been kept as a mistress since long, by the accused No. 2 (Narayandas Parbhu). He alleged that the first accused wanted her daughter, who was 17 years old, to lead a life of shame, but the latter revolted against this as she wanted to live a decent life and marry a man named Parmeshwar Narayan Manjrekar.

GIRL INFORMS HER FIANCE

In the first week of this month the first and the second accused, together with another man named Hargovind Keshrichand—(the 3rd accused) conspired to arrange a meeting between the girl and the 3rd accused, for immoral purpose. The girl, when she came to know about this, wrote a letter to her fiance telling him all the facts and requesting him to save her at all costs. Otherwise, she threatened to commit suicide.

Accordingly Manjekar went to one Mr. Raikar, the director of the Gomantak Mandali and informed him of the alleged conspiracy. Thereupon with the aid of Sub-Inspector Vane, they raided the house of Bhimabai Kelkar on Friday the 7th and arrested Bhimabhai, her paramour Narayanrao and the 3rd accused who is alleged to be the "customer."

GIRL IN WITNESS BOX

Shantabai Kelkar, the girl in question, was the first prosecution witness. She said that she was 17 years old and that she was attending a girls' school in Bombay. She identified the first accused to be her mother and the second to be her 'father.'

Asked to explain what kind of a father he was she said that he was not her real father but she called him such because her mother had been living with him for a long time and that he was maintaining her and her mother.

WHAT MOTHER TOLD HER.

Continuing she said that on the 4th instant her mother told her that she and her "father" had made arrangements with a man (the 3rd accused) and that she should remain with him (the 3rd accused) on the Friday the 7th.

Next day she met Manjrekar while going to school and she told him everything and further asked him to go to the Gomantak Mandli and with the aid of that body to help her. On Friday night Manjrekar and some others came to her house and removed her to the police station and from thence to the Sadanand Home at Dadar.

The girl identified Mr. Raikar and Sub-Inspector Vane, as the persons who had accompanied Manjrekar on that night.

CROSS-EXAMINATION

Mr. Talpade who appeared for the first and the second accused (the mother and her paramour) then cross-examined the witness.

Answering Mr. Talpade, the girl said that she knew Manjrekar since the time that he began coming to her house as an acquaintance of her mother.

Witness admitted that some two months back her mother had stopped Manjrekar from visiting her house. She confessed that she met Manjrekar once or twice a week, while going to or coming from the school, but the meeting was quite casual. Asked whether she wrote him letters, she said that she wrote only one letter. She did not remember her mother having seen her writing any letter to Manjrekar.

MOTHER DID NOT LIKE INTIMACY.

Further, witness said that her mother did not like the idea of her being on familiar terms with Manjrekar and that she (mother) rebuked her for being so intimate with him. She said that her mother mentioned that she should ????? marry Manjrekar as he had no money. Witness admitted she persisted in her intention to marry him.

Mr. Kanuga who appeared for the third accused, (Hargovind Keshrichand) reserved cross-examination of the witness.

FIANCE

Parmershwar Naryan Manjrekar, the fiance of the girl was the next witness.

He declared he was unemployed at present and was formerly a clerk of Mr. Shroff, a pleader. He identified the first and the second accused and said that he had known them these eight or nine months. Witness knew that Bhimabai was kept as mistress by the second accused.

He said he was not acquainted with the 3rd accused. Asked about Mr. Raikar, the witness said that he was the director of the Gomantak Mandli and editor of a Bombay Newspaper.

The Magistrate, at this stage, postponed further hearing of the case till the 20th instant.

STOP PRESS

CABINET AND MOSCOW TRIAL.

LONDON, April 18.

In accordance with the arrangements made last week, the Cabinet met to discuss the Moscow situation in the afternoon, and Ministers faces were grave as they emerged.

During the meeting Mr. Richards, Director of Metropolitan Vickers, visited the Foreign Office and Sir J. Simon is remaining in the Foreign Office this evening, until the Moscow verdict is received.

The Anglo-Indian trade agreement expired yesterday, but remains in force pending Government decision whether to suspend relations or renew negotiations for a new treaty.

Reuter learns authoritatively that any verdict that will leave Britishers in prison in Russia or worse would be unacceptable in London.—Reuter.

SEARCH FOR LANCASTER

LONDON, April 18.

Three Transaharianne Company's cars and two military aeroplanes have left Gao to scour the wide area northwards along the track of Captain Lancaster. Civil aeroplanes reconnoitred the desert but discovered nothing.—Reuter's Special.

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Dated this 18th day of April, 1933.

K. K. VAIDYA,
For Messrs. Soonderdas Dwarkadas & Co.,
Attorneys for the Purchaser.
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SHIPPING NEWS

Exports And Imports

DEPARTURES.

Bombay, April 18.

Baron Sultania, Laidlaw, Calcutta.
Benares, Hedding, Calcutta.

LOADING.

Bombay, April 18.

Steamer Naldera for Kobe.
Steamer Kidderpore for Kobe.
Steamer Nagato Maru for Kobe.
Steamer Orna for Persian Gulf.
Steamer President Pierce for New York.
Steamer Nagara for Calcutta.

S.S. Baron Sultania:—The T M Coy's steamer Baron Sultania sailed yesterday for Calcutta with ballast.

S.S. Benares:—The L Edwards Ltd steamer Benares sailed yesterday for Calcutta via Colombo, Madras and Rangoon with same bottom cargo.

EXPORTS.

Bombay, April 18.

S.S. Viceroy of India, for London:—5 bales animal skins, M M & Co; 23 bales animal skins, J M Rahimtoola; 5 bales animal skins, K Kalbhai; 2 bales animal skins, F A Rahim & Co.; 15 bales animal skins, M Nissim; 1 bale animal skins, I F Levy; 23 bales animal skins, A E Blumenthal; 3 bales animal skins, H.S. Kabanim; 3 bales woollen carpets, H.S. Kohamin; 16 bales cotton rags, Patel & Co; 7 bales cotton carpets, R Meherally; 1 bale rugs, M M & Co; 21 bales cotton rags, O Chandbhoy; 30 bales wool raw, C Lister & Co; 137 bags turmeric, N Moolji & Co; 102 bags turmeric, R.S. Tata & Co; 625 bags groundnut meal, Kishanprasad & Co; 334 bags groundnut kernels, M Bhaichand & Co; 113 bags turmeric, S.B. Torney; 60 cases bristles, B P & Hayley Ltd.; 18 cases fish monds, H A Mahmad & Co.

For Marseilles:—50 bales cotton fly, B Mahasukhram & Co; 30 bales wool raw, S Nanji; 4480 bags groundnuts, K Devchand & Co; 624 bags groundnuts. M Bhuta & Co.

For Alexandretta:—61 bales cotton yarn, M A A L A Razak; 51 bales cotton yarn, A H Diab.

For Jaffa:—25 bales cotton yarn A H Diab

For Port Said:—10 bales cotton yarn, A H Diab.

S.S. Britannia, for Liverpool:—100 bales wool raw, Eastern Wool Tdg. Co.; 60 bales wool raw, T Bhanvarmal; 40 bales wool raw, Cox & Kings, Ltd; 310 bales wool raw, K Oomersey; 12 bales wool raw, R Virchand; 106 bales wool raw, D Sassoon & Co.; 155 bales wool raw, M Nissim; 61 bales wool raw, Shampi Mal; 11011 packets myrabollum. F Mathradas & Co; 125 bales cotton raw, G K Kaisha Ltd.; 1280 bags myrabollum, H Odhavji & Co; 1400 bags linseed oil cakes, Swastika Oil Mills Ltd; 180 cwts. deer horns and 100 cwts. buffalo horns, J M Rahimtoola.

For Belfast:—50 drums castor oil, Gujarat Oil Mill & Mfg. Co. Ltd.

S.S. Wildenfels, for Hamburg:—35 bales hemp, M G Abdulhusein & Co; 35 bales cotton fly, L O Vora; 15 bales cotton fly, M Narottamdas & Co.; 70 bags gum karoya, N Moolji & Co; 15 cases gum olibonum, K Harjivan & Co.

For Bremen:—126 bales cotton raw, Bombay Co.

For Antwerp:—50 bales wool raw, E Mavji & Co; 50 bales cotton fly, M Narottamdas & Co; 10 bales cotton raw, Bombay Co.; 2000 bags groundnut oil cakes and 640 bags linseed oil cakes. A R Oomerbhoy.

For Ghent:—50 bales cotton fly, M Narottamdas & Co; 55 bales cotton raw, K Devchand & Co; 110 bales cotton raw, B Mavji & Co.

For Rotterdam:—1280 bags groundnut oil cakes. A R Oomerbhoy.

For Aarchus:—50 bales hemp. B Premji.

S.S. President Pierce, for New York:—3 bales animal skins, Shamji Mal; 22 bales druggets, Hindustani Arts Exporter; 32 bags sandalwood, S Nowroji & Co; 334 bags gum karoya, N Moolji & Co; 140 bags plantago seed, F F Campbell & Co.

For Genoa:—606 bags linseed and 2422 bags rapeseed, K Devchand & Co.

For Naples:—350 bags castorseed, K Devchand & Co.

S.S. C'o Cairo, for Liverpool:—250 bales cotton raw, Bombay Co.

S.S. Heijin Maru, for Moji:—300 tons iron scrap, Nissho Co. Ltd.

S.S. Hague Maru, for Osaka:—70 tons iron scrap, M G A Husein & Co; 300 bales cotton raw, Japan Cotton Tdg. Co.

For Yokohama:—125 tons iron scrap, Faiz & Co.

For Moji:—200 bales cotton raw, Japan Cotton Tdg. Co; 500 bales cotton raw, T M Kaisha, Ltd.

For Kobe:—125 tons iron scrap, Faiz & Co; 500 bales cotton raw, Japan Cotton Tdg. Co.; 2000 bales cotton raw, T M Kaisha, Ltd.; 303 bales cotton raw, V Ladha & Co; 500 bales cotton raw, N Manila & Co; 1251 bales cotton raw, H Nensey & Co.

For Nagasaki:—300 bales cotton raw, Japan Cotton Tdg. Co.

For Yokkaichi:—500 bales cotton raw, T M Kaisha, Ltd.

For Nagoya:—50 bales cotton raw, T M Kaisha.

S.S. Nagato Maru, for Osaka:—200 tons iron scrap and 30 tons tin clipping, Ali Bros.

S.S. Kidderpore, for Shanghai:—1000 bales cotton raw, Japan Cotton Tdg. Co.; 750 bales cotton raw, K Devchand & Co; 3000 bales cotton raw, Patel Cotton Co.

IMPORTS.

Bombay, April 18.

S. S. Chyebassa, Agents M M and Co., from Coconada:—2284 empty barrels.

From Madras:—30 packages assafoctide, 25 drums dyes, 30 bags drugs.

From Tuticorin:—75 cases rubber, 79 cases tea.

From Calicut:—165 bales cotton, 20 H/c tea, 41 bags copra, 56 bags cocoanuts, 110 bags coir rope.

From Tellicherry:—155 bundles canes.

From Cannanore:—51 bags copra, 79 bags betel nuts, 50 bags cheekakkai.

From Colombo:—500 empty cylinders.

S.S. Barpeta, Agents M M and Co., from Koweit:—2 bundles gold, 3 bundles specie.

From Bahrin:—4 tins gold 2 bundles specie.

From Bushire:—30 bales cotton, 20 bags currants, 264 bags almonds, 17 bags attari.

From Bunder Abbas:—118 bags raisin, 24 bags almonds, 232 bales cotton.

From Muscat:—505 bales dates, 430 bags sardines, 2 bundles gold and I. G. C. notes.

S.S. Jalajyoti, Agents S S N Co., from Moulmein:—29172 bags rice, 797 bags paddy, 150 bags beans, 50 bags betel nuts.

From Rangoon:—28301 bags rice, 70 cases cutch.

From Calicut:—45 jottas coir ropes, 55 bags dry ginger, 39 bags coir yarn, 25 bags mangoes. 102 bales cotton.

S.S. Masula, Agents M M and Co., from London:—126 cases newspaper, 300 cases provision, 40 cases gin, 10 cases whisky, 80 cases glue, 100 cases cement, 40 cases lime juice, 90 cases beer, 350 cases soap, 96 cases whiting, 60 cases fuller's earth, 230 drums lubricating oil, 60 drums turpentine, 30 cases disinfectant fluid, 200 drums tar, 260 drums paint.

From Antwerp:—222 casks chemicals, 257 bundles steel joists, 88 bundles steel angles, 440 bundles steel bars, 1421 bundles steel hooks, 396 bundles steel rivets, 3760 bundles steel rods, 50 bundles tiles, 47 bundles nails, 202 bundles hinges, 246 bundles bolts and nuts, 58 bundles wire nettings, 158 bundles wire, 284 bundles window glass.

From Middlesbro:—100 drums paint, 10740 bags and 204 kegs chemicals, 138 bundles angles, 53 bundles plates, 704 bundles galvanized sheets, 900 bundles circles, 26 cases salt.

From Amsterdam:—50 cases cheese, 29 cases machinery.

From Havre:—227 bundles copper wire.

GOLD & SILVER

Bombay, April 18

The local silver market opened steady to-day with Chaitra Rs. 56/15 and Vaishak Rs. 57/3 on steadier Shanghai opening advices but later on prices declined on increased selling pressure by local operators influenced by weak Shanghai closing cables. It is reported that the Bill for free coinage of silver is lost in the U. S. Senate. Recently there were great hopes of such a measure but it appears that the American Government is against any direct inflationary measure. This news increased selling pressure and Chaitra delivery declined to Rs. 56/8. Gold market is also quiet.

Ready Silver	56-9-0
Chaitra	56-9-0
Vaishak	56-12-0
Ready Gold	29-14-6
Vaishakh	29-12-6

INDORE PRODUCE MARKET

INDORE, April 17.

(Messrs. Gangadhar & Co.) Seeds, Wheat Cotton. Rate per mani of 6 mds. Bengal. Waman

	Rs. a.
Wheat Bombay pass	19 0
Wheat Malwi	17 0
Wheat Pissi	15 8
Gram	13 0
Teelseed	32 0
Linseed	18 0
Cottonseed	9 8
Juwar	12 0
Bajri	15 0
Tuwar	13 0
Lentals	16 0
Kappas Malwi	28 0
Kappas Nimari	27 0

Cotton Malwi per boja of 4 mds. Bengal Rs. 60 and 62.

Cotton Nimari per boja of 4 mds. Bengal Rs. 55 and 66.

Wheat Flour Maida per bag of 95 srs. Rs. 10|8.

Wheat Flour Rawa per bag of 95 srs. Rs. 11.

Wheat Flour Ata per bag of 90 srs. Rs. 7|8.

Wheat Flour Chapad per bag of 40 srs. Rs. 2.

YARN MARKET.

Rate per bundle of 10 lbs.

	Rs. a.
No. 3	2 0
No. 4	2 7
No. 6	3 0
No. 8-1|2	3 10
No. 10-1|2	3 14
No. 14-1|2	4 2
No. 20-1|2	5 0

SHARES.

Following are the quotations of the following:—

	Rs.
P. N. Bhandari Ltd. L.	
State Mills	33
Malwa United Mills Ltd.	348
Hukumchand Mills Ltd.	207
Kalyanmal Mills Ltd. ordy	146
Kalyanmal Mills Ltd. pref.	102
Nandlal Bhandari Mills Ltd.	78
Rajkumar Mills Ltd.	20
Swadeshi Cotton & Flour Mills Ltd.	12
Navauga Mills Ltd.	6
Bhagirath Spinning & Weaving Mills Ltd.	6
Binod Mills Ltd.	116
Hukumchand Jute Ltd.	12
Bank of Indore Ltd.	17

Arrivals Cotton & Kappas 200 carts. Market steady. Volkart & Gosho buying.

Grain market steady.

NORTHBROOK GARDEN ARRESTS

Three Hindus Ordered To Be Bailed Out

Three Hindus have been arrested by the police as a sequel to the affray which occurred near the Northbrook Gardens in which a body-guard of the Governor of Bombay received injuries.

The arrested men were put up before Mr. I. N. Mehta, Presidency Magistrate, Girgaum Court, on Tuesday. Their names are:—

Baburao Wedoo Bhansar,
Krishna Ganoo, and
Ganpat Mukund.

The police in their application alluded to the Northbrook Garden riot on the night of April 13 and added that "during the short spell of rioting three Muslims and four Hindus were injured."

18 INJURIES.

One of the Muslims injured was Abdulrazak Akbarally (40) a bodyguard of the Governor of Bombay. He received 18 injuries and was detained in the hospital for treatment.

The police further stated that the first accused was pointed out by the bodyguard as one of his assailants. The second and third accused were arrested while they were running away from the scene of the offence. As inquiries were incomplete the police applied for a remand.

The accused applied for bail.

The Magistrate ordered the release of all the accused on a bail of Rs. 300 each

At the inquest at Isleworth, Middlesex, it was stated that the death during a scuffle of Albert Frederick Elsdon, aged 16, of Isleworth, in connection with which Walter Hawkes, of Hounslow has been charged with manslaughter, was due to natural causes. The coroner recorded a verdict accordingly.

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CAT BURGLAR IN EUROPEAN'S FLAT

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Climbing the drainage pipe with amazing skill, a cat burglar entered a flat on the fourth floor of Sethna Building, Carmicheal Road, Malabar, Hill in the early hours of Monday and made away with a booty consisting of gold and silver articles valued at nearly Rs. 900 The flat belonged to Mr. Ferano, a European.

The building having been newly built, it appears, the pipes had not been covered with barbed wires.

It may be stated that this is the first cat burglary reported from the Malabar Hill area after a lapse of over a month during which time the locality was comparatively free from crimes.

EXPERT PIPE-CLIMBER.

In this instance the burglar seems to have climbed his way to the fourth floor of the building holding to the pipes—a task which could have been accomplished only by an expert pipe climber. He is believed to have gained access to the flat through the bath room window and when every one in the flat was asleep, ransacked a room and made a clean get away with property consisting of watches and gold and silver ornaments.

The theft is being investigated by the Gamdevi police under Inspector Forster assisted by the C.I.D.

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Damages were settled at £150, when, at Shoreditch, E., County Court, Miss Doris Billingham, of Ipswich-road, Dalston, E., sued Messrs. Sanders and Co., goldsmiths, of Brixton-road, S.W., because she developed blood-poisoning when her ears were pierced by them for a pair of their earrings.

LONG LIQUIDATION IN NEW YORK MARKET

Weevil Hibernation Reduced By Severe Winter

PROFESSIONALS SECURE PROFITS WITH iDEA OF REPLACING ON SETBACKS

Correction Of Overbought State

Bombay, April 18.

Much of the recent buying was mainly speculative which weakened the technical situation of cotton.

MILL CONSUMPTION.

U. S. A. Mill consumption during the month of March was 494,000 bales against 442,000 bales during February and 489,000 during March 1932 and 490,000 bales during March 1931.

There are rumours of rise in sterling which stimulate trade and new buying

SECURING PROFITS.

On Monday there was heavy long liquidation and professional operators were securing profits with an idea of replacing purchases on set-backs.

FARM RELIEF BILL.

The continued delay in the Senate for the passage of the Farm Relief Bill discouraged buyers.

CROP PROSPECTS.

Latest cables state that weevil hibernation is reduced by severe winter and farmers are prepared for a strong weevil fight. Acreage indications are for a 10 to 15 per cent increase.

On Monday the New York cotton futures market was easy on increased selling pressure, stimulated by realising and selling on a reaction theory. The rise of 15 points which was registered on the day prior to the Easter Holidays was last on the day when the New York market re-opened after the holidays.

Professional operators were liquidating their speculative purchases with an idea of replacing on set-backs. It is reported that much of the recent buying was mostly speculative which had weakened the technical situation of the market.

INTERESTING POINT.

It may be interesting to note that when the New York Cotton Exchange re-opened the Banking crisis in the United States of America May delivery closed at 6.77 and at present when the prices reached this level there was cessation of buying and prices declined on long liquidation. Holders of near delivery contracts were sellers. There is some improvement in the crop prospect and acreage is expected to show an increase of about 10 to 15 per cent. Some replanting is necessary around Austin district in Texas owing to cold winds and weather being too dry but on the other hand extreme cold has reduced boll-weevil hibernation.

FARM BILL.

The Farm Relief Bill is still before the Senate and the delay for passage is causing anxiety. The free coinage of Silver Bill is defeated in the Senate and it is feared that all amendments to the Farm Relief Bill will be lost.

INFLATION TALK.

Every day one hears of a talk of currency inflation and the improvement in sterling cross rate was followed by heavy buying. As pointed out before President Roosevelt does not believe in temporary measures to advance commodity prices. The new administration aims at general recovery of the World's trade by lowering tariffs Walls and by expansion of currency. It remains to be seen how far European countries cooperate with America. The market is purely under the influence of political developments.

NEW YORK COTTON.

The New York cotton futures market re-opened on Monday at about the highest rate with July 6.92. There was marked absence of selling and prices kept on declining throughout the day under liquidation. There was some southern selling and prices declined 17 points from the opening level. The market closed at about the lowest level of the day at a decline of 17 to 21 points. Spot cotton prices declined 15 points at 6.70c.

The New Orleans Cotton futures market was easy and closed at a decline of 13 to 14 points. Spot cotton prices declined 14 points at 6.58c.

The Liverpool Cotton Exchange is expected to re-open to-day at a decline of six points.

FAVOURABLE WEATHER.

Messrs. Thos. Smith and Co., in their report state as under:—

"Southern selling and favourable weather has caused a setback following an over-bought speculative position. The continued delay in the Senate for the passage of the Farm Bill resulting from the Government's amendment to re-finance the farm mortgages and private amendments to inflate currency, to purchase silver etc., has somewhat disappointed the operators. Our Liverpool friends write under date 5th April: "Sentiment in America is optimistic, more especially with regard to commodities, the general opinion being that there is little risk in making purchases at current levels. Acreage increase is now generally accepted at about 8 per cent and the Farm Bill is not expected to materially affect this. Nevertheless, if an attractive bonus is offered to Farmers, and made dependent upon proof of reduction in acreage, some change may take place. In the meanwhile, planting operations are delayed by excessive rains. Markets generally continue dull and uninteresting, and there is nothing encouraging in the outlook except the ever-recurring hope that something stimulating may develop as a result of American legislation. With regard to this, we repeat that American opinion is optimistic, and we share their views that at the existing level of prices of all commodities, there appears little risk in making purchases in easy markets".

PRIVATE CABLES.

April 13:—New York May highest 6.78 + 18; lowest 6.53-01 New York July highest 6.94 (1-10 p. m.) lowest 6.74 (opening).

April 17:—New York May highest 6.76-01 lowest 6.58-19.

New York July highest 6.92 (opening) lowest 6.75 (close).

Messrs Chunilal Mehta & Co. We have received to-day the following cable information from their Foreign Friends:—

New York:—Near month liquidation.

Spot House selling.

Demand limited.

Messrs Drennan & Co. have received the following cables from Messrs. E. J. Schwabach Co., New York.

Cotton:+Much of recent buying has been on speculation, weakening technical position, Weevil hibernation reduced by winter, farmers are prepared for strong weevil fight, indications are for 10 to 15 per cent acreage increase.

Think well of selling to secure profits, replacing on any setback.

Messrs. Patel Brothers have received the following cables from their Liverpool Agents:+

Dated 13th:—U. S. A. Mills consumption for March 494,000, against 442,000 during February; and 489,000 during March 1932 and 40.000 during March 1931.

Trade and new buying on inflation rumours of rise in Sterling.

Dated 14th:—New York cables:—Our travelling man wires from Texas:—Replanting necessary around Austin, Texas, cold winds and too dry.

Another of their New York friends cabled as under:—

"Advance due to speculative buying on continued expectations inflation fostered by to-day's erratic Sterling; further spurts not improbable although at present appearing topheavy."

Dated 17th:—New York: Market awaiting developments in Washington.

NEW YORK COTTON.

	New York, 17.
May 1933	6.58—.19
July, 1933	6.75—.19
October, 1933	6.94—.21
December, 1933	7.11—.17
January, 1934	7.17—.19
March, 1934	7.31—.18
Middling Spot	6.70—.15

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES

Bombay, April 18.

TAXABLES.	
3½ p.c. G. P. Notes	87/11
4 p.c. 1934/37 Loan	101/8
4 p.c. 1943 Bonds	101/9
4 p.c. 1960-70 Loan	98-15
4-1/2 p.c. 1934	102/3
4-1/2 p.c. 1955/60	105/14
5 p.c. 1939/44	106/4
5 p.c. 1940-43	106/10
5 p.c. 1935	104/4
5-1/2 p.c. 1938/40	107/8
6-1/2 p.c. 1935 T B	107/6
SHORT DATED.	
5 p.c. (Taxfree)	101
4 p.c. 1931/36 Conv Tax ables)	100/2
5 p.c. 1929/47	100/2
6 p.c. 1933/3	101
TAXFREES.	
5 p.c. 1945/55 Loan	112/13
6 1/2 p.c. 1935 B.D.L.	108/6
STATE LOANS.	
5½ p.c. 1938 Mysore Loan	110/0
5 p.c. 1955 Mysore	111/0
CORPORATION LOANS	
Taxables.	
4 p.c. B. P. T, 1974	94/0
4 p.c. M. Deb. 1974	93/0
5 p.c. F. Deb. 1959	105/0
6 p.c. M. Deb. 1954	115/8
6 p.c. K. P. T, 1956	115/0
6½ p.c. B. I, T, 1937	108/0

MONEY MARKET

Exchange Quotations

Bombay, April 18.

B.C. RATE:—
T.T. and D.D. 1/6.
LONDON BANKS:—
Selling T.T. and D.D. 1/6 1/32
Selling T.T. 1/6 1/32 April/May
Selling T T 1/6 June/Oct
Selling T T 1/5 31/32 Nov/Dec.
Buying T.T. 1/6 3/32.
Buying D.D. 1/6 3/32.
Buying 3 months 1/6 5/32 April/June.
Buying 3 months 1/6 1/8 July/December.
NEW YORK:—
B.C. Rate TT 388.
Banks Selling TT 386.
Banks Buying TT 382.
PARIS:—
Banks Selling DD 649.
Banks Buying DD 659.
AMSTERDAM:—
Banks Selling DD 63 1-4.
JAPAN:—
Banks Selling T. T. 83 nominal
Banks Buying 60 days 77-1/2.
HONGKONG:—
Banks Selling DD 89 3/4
SHANGHAI:—
Banks Selling DD 81 1/2.
SINGAPORE:—
Banks selling D.D. 154 3/4.
JAVA:—
Banks Selling D D 63 1/4
BERLIN:—
Banks Selling DD 107.
CROSS RATE:—
New York/London 3.45 3/4 15th inst.
Shanghai/London 1/2 5/8 18th instant.
Japan/London 1/2 7/8 13th inst.
London/Paris 86.70 15th inst.
London/Belgium closed.
London/Switzerland Closed.
London/Italy Closed.
London/Berlin Closed.
London/Holland Closed.
London/Stockholm Closed.
London/New York Closed.
Tone of Sterling Exchange:—Quiet.
Gold £6-1-6 13th inst.
Silver London Ready 18 13th instant.
Silver London Forward 18 1/16 13th instant.
Silver New York Ready 28 15/16 17th instant.
London Discounts 3 Mos 5/8 p.c 13th instant.
London Discounts 6 Mos 7/8 per cent 13th instant.
Imperial Bank Rate 3-1/2 per cent. Bank of England Rate 2 per cent.
Money:—Call 1 per cent. 3 months 1 per cent. 6 months 2 per cent.
Tone:—Easy.

NEW ORLEANS.

New York, April 17.

May	6.58—.14
July	6.75—.13
Middling Spot	6.58—.14

NEW YORK.

New York, April 17,

New York, Noon Call.—

May	6.70
July	6.86
October	7.07

NEW YORK COTTON DAILY STATISTICS.

New York, April 17.

	Bales.
Day's Receipts at all U.S. Ports	12,000
Day's Exports to Great Britain	3,000
Day's Exports to the Continent	13,000

LINSEED & WHEAT.

Bombay, April 18.

	Rs.	as.	ps.
Linseed May	5	4	9
Wheat May	4	9	9
Linseed Sept.	5	12	6
Wheat Sept.	4	10	0

The State Of Trade

Principal local markets are summarised below:—

MONEY—Easy. Call funds placed at 1-1/2 p.c.

SECURITIES—Month heavy liquidation. Sharp drop in prices. Market weak. Buyers unwilling to take delivery.

SHARES—Mill shares firm. Professional support. Hydro Electric and Cements quiet Steel shares steady. More mills to be closed.

COTTON—Japanese firms hammering. Offerings absorbed by bazaar operators. Sales estimated about 15,000 bales. Undertone steady.

BULLION—Silver easy on weakness of Shanghai. U. S. Senate rejects free silver coinage. Gold quiet. Sterling expected to improve.

PRODUCE—Absence of export inquiry. Local selling in wheat and linseed. Prices low enough. Damage to Punjab wheat crop.

INDIAN COTTON FIGURES.

RECEIPTS INTO BOMBAY.

Bombay, April 18.

	Since 1st September. 13-4-33	This year.
In full-pressed Bales		
Khandesh	251	186,118
Central India	280	160,600
Barsi and Nagar	1,370	97,371
Hyderabad-Gaorani	161	43,625
Berar	788	408,401
Central Provinces	54	118,982
Total Oomras	2,904	1,015,097
Dholera	739	103,252
N.-W. Provinces		6,613
Rajputana	49	51,787
Sind-Punjab	69	94,019
Broach	5,605	187,422
Coompta & Dharwar	481	37,574
Westerns-Northerns	73	36,254
Cocoanada		1
Tinnevelly and Cambodia	2	12,822
Persian		3,561
American	1,303	55,643
Egyptian and African	6,739	69,982
Comilla, Burma & other sorts		55
Total	17,964	1,684,088

EXPORTS FROM BOMBAY.

Bombay, April 18.

	1st Sept. to 6th April. 13-4-33	This year.
In full-pressed Bales		
Europe	5,017	219,450
Japan & China	5,028	714,624
Coast Ports	500	9,717
Up-country by Rail		80,646
Afloat in harbour for Europe China and Japan		32,363
Total	10,545	1,056,800

PRODUCE RECEIPTS.

Bombay, April 18.

Khandesh	251	bales
Central India	280	"
Barsi-Nugger	1,370	"
Hyderabad-Gaorani	161	"
Berar	788	"
Central Provinces	54	"
Dhollera	739	"
Rajputana	49	"
Sind-Punjab	69	"
Broach	5,605	"
Compta-Dharwar	481	"
Westerns-Northerns	73	"
Tinnevelly and Cambodia	2	"
Americans	1,303	"
Egyptians	138	"
East Africans	6,601	"
Total Cotton	17,964	"
Wheat	6.577	cwts.
Linsede	6,522	"
Rape, Rai & Mustard seeds	47	"
Gingellyseed	642	"
Poppyseed	17	"
Groundnuts	7,576	"
Castorseed	2,218	"
Rice	21,578	"
Myrabollams	13,424	"
Cottonseed	620	"
Gram	150	"
Joowar	1,064	"
Barley	246	"
Bajree	30	"
Coal	731	tons.

COTTON STRADDLES

Approximate Differences

Bombay Liverpool: Broach A/M (178) Liverpool May 5.12 Rs. 44½ at Exchange 1/6

Bombay-New York: Broach A1M (178) New York May (6.58) Rs. 36¼ at 3.45 5/8 Cross Rate.

Bombay Cotton

Bombay, April 18.

In sympathy with easier New York advices the local forward cotton market opened quiet but steady at Rs. 185/4 for Broach J./A. delivery. There was some selling by Japanese firms and prices declined to Rs. 184/4. The offerings were taken up by Bazar operators. Later on when selling pressure was over, prices recovered to the opening level on scattered buying by local operators. It is believed in the Bazar that the weakness shown by New York market is only temporary. The market ruled quiet but steady

Liverpool Market opened steady at a decline of 3 points and later on it was reported 5 points down. There was continuous selling by Japanese firms, and day's sales were estimated about 15,000 bales. This selling pressure depressed prices and the market closed at 5-30 p.m. as under:—

	Rs. as.
Broach A/M.	176
Broach J/A.	184-4
Bengal May	142-12
Bengal July	147-8
Oomra May	166-12
Oomra July	169-4

OFFICIAL COTTON ROOM RATES.

Bombay, April 18.

	Extra Spr.-fine.	Sup.	Fine.	F. G.	Good.
M. G.:—					
Bengal U. P.	... 155	151	147	143	
Rajputana	... 152	149	146	143	
Punjab	... 151	148	145	142	
Oomra No. 3	174	172	170	167	...
Oomra No. 1	151	179	177	174	...
Oomra No. 2	177	175	173	170	...
Broach No. 2	... 182	180	178	176	
Punjab-Ame.	... 190	188	186	184	
Surat	... 224	222	220	218	
Rajpipla	... 222	220	218	216	
Navsari	... 231	229	227	225	

READY COTTON QUOTATION.

Bombay, April 18.

Bengal Superfine	155	...
Bengal Fine	150	...
Bengal F.G.	145	...
Sindh-Punjab Fine	150	...
Sindh-Punjab F.G.	145	...
Wardha-Hingt. Fine	178	...
Nagpur Savner Fine	179	...
Yeotmal Fine	173	...
Arvi Fine	174	...
Ellichpur Fine	173	...
Amraoti-Berar Fine	172	...
Khamgaon Fine	172	...
Mulkapur Fine	169	...
Khandesh Fine	167	...
Muthia F.G.	159	...
Jalna/Sailu F.G.	167	...
Burwah Sanavad F.G.	173	...
Ujjain/Shujaulpur F.G.	172	...
Broach F.G.	181	...
Punjab/American	193	...
Punjab/American mix	181	...
Miraj/Sangli	165	
Compta Good	170	
Bagalkot	160	

NEW YORK SILVER

New York, April 17.

Spot Silver 28 5/8—1/8 c.
May delivery 29.00 plus 25
Tone: Firm.

TEJIMANDI PREMIUMS.

Bombay, April 18.

Broach J./A. delivery:—
Teji-Mandi Premium about Rs. 20/20-1/2.
Teji on Rs. 200 Premium about Rs. 5-1/2.
Teji on Rs. 225 Premium about Rs. 2-1/2-2-3/4.
Teji on Rs. 250 Premium about Rs. 1-1/4-1/2.
Mandi Rs. 175 Premium about Rs. 5-5-1/2.

AMERICAN COTTON FIGURES.

Bombay, April 18.

F.P. Bales.	1932-33.	1931-32.
Receipts to date 17/4/33	7667000	9246000
Receipts Yesterday 17/4/33	12000	11000
Exports to date 17/4/33	6370000	7226000
Stock at Ports 17/4/33	4290000	4191000
Stock at Interior Towns 17/4/33	1807000	1780000
Stock at Liverpool 17/4/33	830000	869000
Visible Supply 17/4/33	8638000	8570000
Quantity in Sight 17/4/33	11535000	13771000
Quantity out of Sight 17/4/33	9701000	10400000

The market ruled quiet but steady.

THE TATA OIL MILL'S QUOTATIONS.

EX-GODOWN, BOMBAY.

Bombay, April 18.

Filtered Cocoanut Oil:—
Ready Rs. 290 per ton.
Per case of 84lbs. Rs. 20 per case.
Cocoanut Cake Ready Rs. 72 per ton.

SHANGHAI EXCHANGE

Shanghai, April 18.

T. T. on London:—

Previous Close	1-2 1/2
To-day's Opening	1-2 5-8
To-day's Close	1-2 5/16
Difference	—3/16

BOMBAY STOCK EXCHANGE

Mill Shares Firm On Active Buying

MILD SQUEEZE ANTICIPATED

BOMBAY, April 18.

The local Share Bazar again ruled very steady to-day on active buying in Mill shares. It is said that the buyers have selected few well-managed Mills' shares namely Bombay Dyeing, Century, Nagpur and Kohinoor with a view to push up prices and take delivery of shares. All banking arrangements are made with a local Bank and it is very likely that there will be a mild squeeze.

Although there is no justification for any material improvement in the value of mill shares as cotton market is dull and there is no demand for mill cloth. On the other hand it is said that from the beginning of the next month some three or four local mills will be closed. In the face of a such a disheartening outlook of the cotton textile industry, some powerful bull operators are daily buying. Those who are selling short are running risks and it will be advisable to leave mill shares alone.

In the Hydro-Electric section there was narrow trading and the tone was quiet. Cement shares showed no marked change and were ruled quiet. Tata steel shares ruled steady with scattered buying.

The Share Bazar was open to-day for one hour only owing to the death of a member of the Stock Exchange. The market will remain open only for one hour on Wednesday on account of a general meeting.

Bombay Dyeing shares opened at Rs. 767/12 and after advancing to Rs. 780 closed at Rs. 778/12. Century shares opened at a loss of Rs. 31 but owing to the change in the Agency they spurted to Rs. 235 and closed at Rs. 234/6. Fazal shares opened at Rs 327 and soon advanced to Rs. 340 to close at Rs. 338-2. Nagpur mill shares recorded a rise of Rs. 8 at Rs. 328-12. Colabas gained Rs. 1-4 at Rs. 81-4. Crescents, Currims and Indore Malwas remained unchanged. Kohinoor shares were better at Rs. 174-6 but New Greats were firm at Rs. 147-8. Pearl mill shares improved to Rs. 146-4 and Swadeshi mills advanced to Rs. 247-8.

Bank shares ruled quiet but steady. Imperials eased off Rs. 5 to Rs. 1,222--8 and Contributaries lost Rs. 2-8 at Rs. 297-8. Cement shares were featureless and prices show little change. Punjabs declined As. 4 at Rs. 14-10 but Shahabads improved to Rs. 268-2. Uniteds were quiet at Rs. 88. There was very little business in Insurance shares.

Hydro-Electric shares were quiet to-day with a restricted turnover. Andhra shares declined Rs. 2-8 to Rs. 1,400 and Broach Electric shares eased off to Rs. 12-4. Trams were unchanged and Tata Powers were a shade easy at Rs. 980.

Rails were steady without any important business Larkhana Rails changed hands at Rs. 80. Tata Steel shares ruled steady. Ordinary shares improved As 6 at Rs. 43-14 and Defds closed at Rs. 174-6. Second Pref. shares improved annas eight at Rs. 79. It is said that there are some short sales in this scrip as the buyers find difficulties in getting deliveries. If this is correct, there will be some improvement in this scrip in the near future.

In the miscellaneous section. Alcock shares were steady at Rs. 158-12. Bombay Burma shares advanced Rs. 3-2 to Rs. 453-2. Petrol shares ruled steady and business was reported at Rs. 2-9. Bombay Telephone shares improved As. 8 to Rs. 78.

Business for June settlement will begin from the 20th inst

ACTIVE SHARES AT A GLANCE.

Bombay, April 18.

Dyeing 768; 77; 75; 80; 78.
Century 222; 23; 30; 25; 35; 34.
Colaba 81.
Crescent 44/6.
Fazal 327; 31; 40; 38.
Indore 361; 63.
Nagpur 317; 20; 28.
New Great 145; 47.
Pearl 140; 46.
Simplex 77; 78; 79.
Swadeshi 240; 47.
Burma 447; 53.
Hydro 150; 51; 50-10.
Tram 133; 35; 34.
Tata Def. 173; 74.
Tata Ord. 43/6; 14.
Bundi 22/14; 23.

TEXTILE SECTION.

Bombay, April 18.

Bombay Dyeing	778-12
Ahmedabad Advance	328-14
Apollo Mills	0-12
Century	234-6
Central India	328-12
Colaba	81-4
Crescent	44-6
Dawn Mills	480
E. D. Sassoon	0-4
Elphinstone	2-4
Ibrahim Pabaney	72-8
Edward Sassoon	10-0
Finley	90-0
Fazulbhoy	338-2
Gokak	123-12
Hindustan	1702/8
Indian Mfg.	1530
Indian Bleaching	196-14
Indore-Malwa	363-12
Kastoorchand	6-4
Khatau	91-14
Kohinoor	174-6
Lakshmi	910
Morarjee	406
Madhawjee	7-0
Model Nagpore	73-12
Mysore	100
New City	35-0
New Great	147-8
Pearl	146-4
Phoenix	327-8
Premier	0-8
Sholapur	N 2.900-0
Do Deb (94 F.P.)	99-4
Sassoon Silk	43/8
Swan	67-8N.
Simplex	79-6
Swadeshi	247-8
Tata Mills	17
Vishnu	1,605 XD.
HYDRO ELECTRIC SECTION	
Ahmedabad Electric..	128-2
Andhra Valley	1,400-0
Andhra Valley Pref.	1185
Bombay Tram Ordy.	154
Bombay Tram pref..	74-4
Surat Electric	55
Karachi Electric....	180/10
Suburban Electric	139/6
Tata Power ordy	980
Tata Hydro pref.	119-6
Tata 8 p.c. Deb.	111-14
Tata Power pref.	1265
MISCELLANEOUS SECTION	
Alcock Ashdown	158-12
Br. Burma Petrol	2-9
Bombay Burma old	453-2
Bombay Burma new	155
Bombay Steamer	286-4
Bombay Telephone	78
Do. 6½ p.c. Deb.	57-0
Belapur Sugar	185-10
Indian Radio Ordy	355
Indian Radio def	350
Indian Merchantile	**38/8**
McKenzies.....	90/10
New India Assurance	22-14
Jupiter Insurance....	11/8
Oriental Insurance	3000
Vulcan Insurance	7-10
Fort Canning	660-0
Scindia Steam	13-2
Tata Construction	63-12
Tata Iron & S ordy	43-14
Tata Def	174-6
Tata 1st Pref.	152-8
Tata 2nd Pref	79
Tata Oil	16-4
RAILWAY SECTION	
Ahmedabad Prantij	787-8
Amritsar Patti Oil....	111
Central Provinces	83
Dhond Baramati	80-8
Guzerat	60-0
Hoshiarpur Doab....	77
Larkhana	76-0
Mandra Bhon	72-8
Mymensing Rebate	79-0
Do. Gtd.	80-0
Pachora Jamner	57-0
Sara Sirajgunj	81-4
Sialkot Narowal	88-4
Sind Light	41
Tapty Valley	693-12
Upper Sind Light....	85/8
BANK SECTION.	
Bank of India	100-8
Baroda Bank.....	83/4
Bombay Provincial	52
Central Bank.....	21-12
Eastern Bank	65-0
Imperial Bank F. P.	1227-8
Imperial Bank P P	299-8
Union Bank	4-7-0
CEMENT SECTION.	
Bundi Cement	23
Gwallor Cement	87-8
Indian Cement	253-12
Katni Cement ordy	263-12
Katni Cement Def.	980-0
Okha Cement	111-0
Punjab Cement Ordy.	14-10
Punjab Cement Pref.	13-0
Shahabad	268-2
Shivrajpur	15-8
United Cement	88

THE SEEDS TRADERS' ASSOCIATION.

Bombay, April 18.

Castorseeds Delivery May, Opening Rs. 26/3; Highest Rs. 26/4; Lowest Rs. 26 Closing Rs. 26/0/6.

Castorseeds Delivery September, Opening Rs. 28; Closing Rs. 27/11.

Groundnut Seeds Delivery May, Opening Rs. 29/5; Lowest Rs. 29/1; Closing Rs. 29/2.

Groundnut Seeds Delivery August, Opening Rs. 31/3/6; Highest Rs. 31/4; Lowest Rs. 31; Closing Rs. 31/1/6.

CITY AND SUBURBS

Local Engagements

TO-DAY

Hindi—Chaitra Vad 10, 1989.
Muslim—Zilhej 23, 1352.
Parsi—Avan 15, 1302.
Sunrise—6h. 19m.
Sunset—6h. 57m.
Hightide—5.54, 10-4.
Lowtide—11.10, 3-9.

PHASES OF THE MOON: New Moon 25th April, 0h. 8m. a. m. First Quarter 3rd May, 4h. 9m. a. m. Full Moon 10th May, 3h. 34m. a. m.

Municipal Standing Committee: 4-10 p.m.

Governor's Hospital Fund: Annual Meeting, H.E. the Governor presiding, Secretariat, 6 p.m.

THURSDAY: April 20.

Results of Intermediate Examination in Agriculture and B. Ag: Exam.: University Buildings, 2 p.m.

Municipal Corporation: 3-40 p.m.

DAILY AMUSEMENTS

EXCELSIOR.—"Chandu The Magician". Daily at 6-30 and 10 p. m.

EMPRESS.—"Zaheri Sanp." Daily at 5-30, 7-45, and 10-30 p.m.

CAPITOL.—"Smilin' Through." Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m.

WELLINGTON.—"Puran Bhakta". Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m.

CARLTON.—"Kongo." Daily at 6-30 and 10 p. m.

PATHE.—"The Sign of the Cross". Daily at 3-30, 6-30 and 10 p.m.

WEST-END.—"Vagabond Prince." Daily at 5-15, 8 and 10-30 p.m.

ROXY.—"There Goes the Bride. Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m.

PALACE TALKIES.—"First Year." Daily at 6-30 and 10 p.m.

KRISHNA CINEMA.—"Lanka-Dahan". Daily at 5-30, 8 and 10-30 p. m.

GLOBE TALKIES.—"Naksha-e-Submani." Daily at 5-30, 8 and 10-30 p. m.

TO-DAY ON RADIO

6-30 a. m. Commercial Bulletin. Liverpool and New York Cotton Closing Rates.

12-0 Noon. Selection of Indian Gramophone Records.

12-30 p. m. Selection of European Gramophone Records.

1-00 p. m. Bombay Market: Opening Rates.

6-00 p. m. Indian Programme. News available. Relay of Music from Pathe Cinema. By kind permission of the Management)

6-30 p. m. Educational Hour Talk by Miss Pirojbai Anandker, B. A., on "Importance of Physical Training in Education of Girls" in Marathi.

7-30 p. m. Talk by Miss Kapila Khandwala, B. A. 'Shortcomings of the Modern Educational System" in Gujerathi.

8-0 p. m. Cotton. Silver. Gold. Seeds, Wheat. Stock Exchange and other Market Prices. Empire Relay.

INDIAN PROGRAMME

8-15 p. m. News in Hindi. New York Opening. Liverpool Closing (or latest available) and Bombay Current Rates. Weather Report and News Bulletin. Motor Topic by Mr. H. E. Ormerod, President, W. I. A. A. on Motoring in general and W. I. A. A. in particular.

10-00 p. m. A sponsored Programme by EDSU.

11-00 p. m. God Save the King Emperor.

EMPIRE BROADCASTING

1-30 p. m. 2-30 p. m. Time Signal from Big Ben. News Bulletin.

1-45 p. m. 2-46 p. m. A Talk on India.

2-15 p. m. 3-15 p. m. Concert by the Bournemouth Municipal Orchestra, conductor, Sir Dan Godfrey, relayed from the Pavilion, Bournemouth.

3-45 p. m. 4-45 p. m. Reginald Foort at the organ of the Regal, Kingston-on-Thames, Surrey.

4-15. p. m. 5-15 p. m. Dance Music by Al Collins and his Orchestra, followed by the Savoy Hotel Orpheans relayed from the Savoy Hotel, London.

5-30 p. m. 6-0 6-30 p. m. Gramophone Records.

REMITTANCES TO HOME TREASURY

The Dy. Controller of the Currency Bombay, has issued the following statement:—

(In Pounds Sterling.)

Sterling purchased in India, during the week ending the 15th April 1933: 728.000: From 1st April 1933 to 15th April 1933: 1,495,000.

Total during the week ending the 15th April 1933: 728.0000: From 1st April 1933 to 15th April 1933: 1,495,000.

SALES OF TREASURY BILLS

The Dy. Controller of the Currency, has issued the following Press Communique:

Treasury Bills sales, the 18th April 1933.

Tenders for Rs. 1½ crores of three months' Treasury Bills were opened on Tuesday the 18th April 1933. Total amount offered was Rs. 54.75,000. Tenders at Rs 99-11-3 and above were accepted in full. Lower tenders were rejected. The total amount of accepted tendres was Rs. 53 25.000 and the average rate Rs. 1-3-0 per annum.

Tenders for three months' bills to the amount of Rs. 1.50.00.000 will be received on Tuesday, the 25th April 1933. Successful tenderers should make payment of the amount of accepted tenders on Friday, the 28th April 1933. Other conditions are as usual.

BOMBAY DHOBI-ASSOCIATION

A meeting of the Bombay Professional Dhobi Association will be held at Sir Cowasji Jehangir Hall to-day at 4 p. m., Sjt. Jangaliram Chowdhary presiding.

SOCIETY FOR PROTECTION OF CHILDREN: The Annual General Meeting of the Society for the Protection of Children in Western India in the Municipal Corporation Hall to-day at 6 p. m. (S. T.)

POSTAL NOTICE: Mails for Colombo, the Straits Settlements, China, Japan per s. s. "Nalera" will be accepted at the General Post Office upto 6-30 p. m. on Thursday the 20th instant.

BENEFIT PERFORMANCE.

"A benefit performance of the "Yugantar" Drama which was to have been held on 12th inst. by the Nutan Sangit Vidyalaya (Dramatic Branch) in aid of the Gomantak Maratha Samaj Bombay, will be ptrformed to-day (Wednesday) at 8-30 p. m. by the said company in Elphinstone Theatre.'

LECTURE ON "LEAGUE OF NATIONS: Under the joint auspices of the Muslim Students' Union and the Bombay Students' Brotherhood, Mr. M. V. Venkateswaran, Secretary, League of Nations, Indian Bureau, will deliver a public lecture on "League of Nations", on Wednesday 19th instant, at 6-30 p. m. in the Union Hall, at Blavatsky Lodge, French Bridge, Chaupatty. Principal A. A. A. Fayzee, Bar-at-Law will preside.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS: The Homeward P. & O. Mail Steamer "Rawalpindi" with the malls from Bombay of the 8th instant arrived at Port Said at 5 p. m. on the 16th instant and left there at midnight the same day.

The O. S. K. Steamer "London Maru" left Moji for Bombay on April 14 and is due to arrive in Bombay on May 9 via usual Ports.

ENGLISH MAILS

The Outward P. & O. Mail Steamer "Naldera" with the Mails from London of 6th instant arrived at Aden at 5-30 a. m. on the 16th idem and left there at 8-30 a. m. the same day.

In ordinary course she should arrive in Bombay at 4 p. m. on Thursday the 20th instant.

The "Naldera" will sail from Ballard Pier for China and Japan at midnight the same day.

B. B. AND C. I. RLY. EMPLOYEES UNION: A meeting of the B. B. and C. I. Railway Employees of Bombay, who have accepted the resolutions passed at the Annual General Meeting of the Union held at Bulsar on March 6, was held on the 13th instant in Beryel House, Lower Parel, under the Presidentship of Mr. N. A. Y. Raman. It was resolved at the Meeting that the Bombay centre of the Union, which was abolished some time back, be reconstituted; a Provincial Committee with Mr. Raman as Chairman, was duly elected.

GERMAN CLASSES

German classes for beginners will be conducted by Prof. Jadhav on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 6-30 p. m. at 55 Girgaon Road (R. L. Trust Hostel, near Opera House Tram Terminus

EXCESSIVE HEAT

Amreli Ladies Physical Class Postponed

(From A Correspondent).

AMRELI, April 18.

Owing to extreme heat and scarcity of water in Amreli, the Ladies Physical Training Class has been cancelled. If circumstances are favourable it will be held in October next. Applicants and others are requested not to come.

"CITIZENS OF TOMORROW"

Kamaladevi's Appeal To Karnataki Students

Equip Yourselves For Battles Of Life

The ninth anniversary celebration of the Karnatak Free Night School was held on Sunday last in the school promises at Kumpta Street, Fort, under the presidency of Dr. N. R. Suvarna.

The following persons were present:—Shreemathi Kamaladevi Chattopadhaya, Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Puthli, Professor Ganesh Rao, Mr. V. G. Trilokekar, Principal. Girgaum Night High School, and Messrs. M. A. Suvarna, Advocate, V. S. Bengers, H. S. Kalnad, V. Sathyarthi, B. P. Koolurkar, A. P. Kerodian and about 300 others.

In requesting Shreemathi Kamaladevi Chattopadhyaya to address the audience Mr. S. S. Shetty, President of the Teachers' Board, referred to her as one of the greatest women of the modern world and as the greatest daughter of Karnatak.

CITIZENS OF TOMORROW.

Shreemathi Kamaladevi Chattopadhyaya thanked the teachers' Board for having invited her and appreciated the work carried on by the Board and asked the audience to help the management of the school in its activities as regards the removal of illiteracy amongst the Karnatakis in Bombay. Turning to the students she said that they were the citizens of to-morrow and should take the full advantage of the opportunity afforded to them by the self-sacrificing band of workers and thus equip themselves for the battles of life.

Messrs. M. A. Suvarna, Prof. Rao, Principal Trilokekar, V. S. Bengers, H. S. Kalnad and V. Sathyarthi addressed the audience in sitable terms.

Principal Trilokekar contributed Rs. 10/- towards the school fund on the spot.

Tre President, then gave his address and made some valuable suggestions in regard to the school and asked the members of the Teachers' Board to carry on the work they had undertaken more intensely and extensively.

The function came to a close at about 5 p. m. with the singing of "Bande Mataram" and light refreshments.

NUT CAUSES CHILD'S DEATH

How a little harmless-looking fruit was the cause of the death of a one-year old child was related in the City Coroner's Court by the mother of the child.

Menabai, a Municipal sweeper, in her evidence at the inquest touching the death of her child said that her child had been playing with other children. Suddenly she heard shrieks from the children, and when came to the spot she found the child gasping for breath. Learning that it had swallowed a borom she frantically tried to pull out the nut from the throat of the child which however proved unavailing. But all her efforts to save the child in hospital proved useless and it expired the same evening The Post-mortem examination on the dead body reveals a forein body (fruit) in the Right Bronchus (Windpipe.)

The pury returned a unanimous verdict to the effect that death was due to asphixia brought about by the accidentally swallowing of a nut.

HASAN IMAM SERIOUSLY ILL

Ex-President Of Congress And Veteran Nationalist

RANCHI, April 18.

Mr. Hasan Imam, an ex-judge of the Calcutta High Court, and a former president of the Congress, is lying seriously ill with heart trouble at Patna. There is no marked improvement and he is passing through a critical stage.

Colonel Sandes and Sir Nilratan Sarkar arrived at Patna yesterday. After examination and consultation Colonel Sandes left last evening, but Sir Nilratan Sarkar is staying.—A.P.

NAGPUR LABOUR-WORKER ASSAULTED

Mobbed While Pasting Meeting Poster

(From Our Correspondent.)

NAGPUR, April 18.

Mr. Jagam, the former General Secretary of the Nagpur Textile Union is alleged to have been assaulted this morning by four Pathan employees of the Model Mills. It is stated Mr. Jagam attempted to fix a poster o a labour meeting to the lamppost in front of the mills when he was mobbed by the Pathans, dragged to the mill premises, thrashed and detained for one hour. Relations between the Union and the management are strained.

The assault has caused a sensation.

IMPROVEMENT BOARD ELECTS NEW TRUSTEES

The Bombay Improvement Trust Board on Tuesday elected the following five trustees in place of those who retired by rotation, viz:—

(1) Dr. P.G. Solanki, (2) Dr. P. H. Mehesheri, (3) Mr. S.K. Barodawala, (4) Mr. B.G. Parelkar and (5) Mr. S.B. Awar.

The following five members had retired by rotation:—

(1) Sir Vasantrao A. Dabholkar (died), (2) Mr. S.K. Barodawalla, (3) Mr. B.G. Parelkar, (4) Mr. Punjabhai Thackersey and (5) Mr. Gordhandas G. Morarji.

POPULARISING TALKIES AMONG INTELLIGENTSIA

Motion Picture Society Arranges For Shows Of New Production

CALCUTTA, April 18.

With a view to popularise Indian talkies among the intelligentsia a movement has been set on foot by the Motion Pictures Society of India who are organising shows of recent productions. Such a show was given the other day in a Calcutta show house when the Secretary of the Society, Mr. K. S. Herlekar, explained the objects of the Society and its programme to a select gathering of members of the Calcutta Corporation Indian and European journalists and prominent citizens.

Mr. Herlekar referred to a similar function arranged by the society in New Delhi in February last for members of the Central Legislature, when satisfaction was expresed at the progress of the Indian film industry during the last 18 years.—A. P.

MURDER OF INSPECTOR GREEN

High Court Hears Government's Appeal Against Acquittal And Sessions Judge's Reference

The Bombay Government's appeal and the Ahmedabad Sessions Judge's reference in the Green Murder Case, are now being heard by the Chief Justice and Mr. Justice Rangnekar, at the Court.

The prosecution case was that on November 7 last, the accused Sergeant Houston told Sergeant Banett that, he had found out who was spreading rumours about him. He then went to his quarters at 11-20 a.m. and had four bottles of beer, saying "This will be my last drink. I will then leave off drinking."

The accused then went to the Police Office where Inspector Green and others were living. Going up, he waited till Mr. Green returned, and fired a shot at him, killing him with the bullet, which entered his chest.

The accused then went to the dining room, where he fired at Sergeant Barret's cook, but missed his aim. He then rushed to Sgt. Barrett's bed-room, where he was sleeping, and fired at him, but failed again.

The accused then took to his heels, firing at random all the while.

On the charge of murdering Mr. Green, the jury by 5 to 4, return-Sessions Judge, disagreeing, refered a verdict of "not guilty." The red the case to the High Court.

On the charge of attempt to murder six other persons, the Judge accepted the assessors' verdict, and acquitted the accused. Against this acquittal, the Bombay Government appealed.

Both, the appeal and the reference are being heard together.

SESSIONS JUDGE'S STRICTURES

In making the reference, the Sessions Judge observed that such a deliberate murder of a defenceless man could not be allowed to go unpunished. The Jury's verdict was perverse, and in the interest of justice, it was necessary to refer to case to the High Court.

The accused's plea was that, he was of unsound mind when he committed the offence.

Mr. B. G. Rao, Government Pleader, appeared for the Crown: and Mr. M.M. Karbhari for the accused.

The case is proceeding.

PARSI GIRL'S CASE

Application For Full Bench Hearing

The Advocate General at the High Court heard 'in camera' till lae Tuesday night arguments in the application made on behalf of Jehangir Manekji Gandhi, who was recently sentenced by Mr. Justice Mirza at the current sessions to four years' rigorous imprisonment. He was charged with having committed rape on his sister's daughter Norgish, aged 18, and with outraging her modesty.

The present application is made asking the Advocate General to grant a certificate that this is a a fit case to he reviewed by Full Bench on legal grounds.

AFFIDAVIT.

In support of the application Mr. Rustom D. N. Wadia a Mr. Nadkarni who represent the accused at the sessions tr have made an affidavit urging the grounds on which they c that the judge had misdirec the jurry in material particulars resulting in a miscarriage justice.

The Advocate-General commenced hearing the arguments at 6 p. m. and continue p. m. at night, reserving his decision.

Mr. S. G. Velinker argued for the accused and Mr. Somji for the prosecution.

MOTORIST FINED

Boy Knocked Down In Girgaum

Before the Special Court of Hon. Presidency Magistrate at the Girgaum Police Court R. L. Gogte was charged for failing to report an accident in which a lad of about 10 years of age along Girgaum Back Road on 22nd March last was knocked down.

The facts of the case were that the boy Babulal Srajmal was proceeding along the road at about 9-15 a.m. and accused came on a motor cycle and knocked down.

The accused pleaded guilty to the charge.

The Court having been satisfied with the evidence convicted the accused and sentenced him to pay a fine of Rs. 50.

PICK POCKETS BUSY AT CINEMA S!

Gang Arrested And Put Up Before Magistrate

Following numerous cases of pickpocketing which have lately occurred near the booking windows of two local cinemas, the Lamington Road Police have arrested a gang of pickpockets.

Seven persons alleged to be the members of the gang were put up before Mr. I. N. Mehta, Presidency Magistrate, on Tuesday and remanded to police custody till April 24.

A case of pickpocketing which occurred near the booking window of the Pathe Cinema, Lamington Road, led to the arrest of the accused. It appears that on the evening of April 14 Moosa Jaffer, a resident of Bandra, visited the cinema. He rushed to the ticket window and bought a ticket.

COAT-POCKET CUT.

While doing so, he noticed some of the accused around him. He was just leaving the ticket window when he noticed that his pocket had been cut and a leather purse containing Rs. 10 and three cross and bearer cheques on the Central Bank of India for Rs. 50 had been removed. He suspected that those around him had robbed him and started questioning them. While doing so, they ran away.

ARRESTED.

The accused were subsequently arrested in a gang near the Krishna Cinema at New Charni Road. Some of them were pointed out to the police by the complainant.

As the police wanted time to complete investigation, they applied for the remand of the accused into custody.

The Magistrate granted the remand.

BIG BOAT WRECKED AT RATNAGIRI

All Crew Believed To Be Missing

RATNAGIRI, April 18.

On information, that a big boat has been washed ashore in the rocks at Randpar, 10 miles from Ratnagiri, Mr. Sarkarkun immediately went to the spot, where he found that the ship was broken, and all the crew missing. The ship was loaded with timber and cocoanuts and bears No. "Bombay 6088."

Some pieces of timber are marked with letter XX or KK.

Enquiries are in prorgress.—A. P.

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THIRD WEEK

LEAGUE FOOTBALL

LONDON, April 18.

The following are the results of the Football matches played in the League to-day:—

FIRST DIVISION

Aston Villa 3, Newcastle nil; Huddersfield 3, Liverpool 1; Leeds 1, Everton nil; Leicester 1, Chelsea 1.

SECOND DIVISION

Bradford City 1, Lincoln 1.

THIRD DIVISION (Southern Section.)

Coventry 3, Aldershot nil; Northampton 2, Torquay nil; Luton 3, Queens Park Rangers 1.

THIRD DIVISION (Northern Section.)

Halifax 2, Barnsley 1; Rotherham 3, Southport 1.

Hyderabad. (Sind.)—Professor Narainda Ratanmal Malkani who was sentenced to 15th months' rigorous imprisonment and whose release was due on 18th June, was released on Friday last from Hyderabad Central Jail.

RISE IN STERLING CROSS RATE

Drop In Liverpool Cotton

Bombay, Tuesday (11 p.m.)

3½ p.c. Indian Sterling Loan was quoted to-day on the London Stock Exchange, at £87-1/4.

The London Silver market declined 1/16d. per oz. The decline being smaller than expected, prices in the local market for Vaishakh delivery advanced to Rs. 57-0-6.

Gold price declined to Rs. 29-12-0 owing to improvement in the Sterling Cross rates to 3.47

The Liverpool cotton market opened at a decline of 3 points and closed at a loss of 11 points, owing to selling influenced by rise in sterling.

The New York cotton market was quoted 9 points higher at the time of Liverpool close.

LONDON/NEW YORK CROSS RATE

Latest Quotation

T. T. NEW YORK ON LONDON

New York, April 18.

Previous Closing	3.45-5/8
To-day Closing	3.49-1/2

T. T. LONDON ON NEW YORK.

London, April 18.

Previous Closing	3.44-3/4
To-day's Opening	3.44-1/8
To-day's Closing	3.48-3/4

LATEST COTTON PRICE

(Cotton Information Bureau, 21, Ismail Buildings, Hornby Road,

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

MAY DELIVERY.

New York, April 18.

Previous Closing	6.58
To-day's Opening	6.64
Difference	+.06
To-day's Closing	6.73
Difference	+.15

Broach Expectation	M. Rs.	179/8.
" "	J/A. Rs.	187/8.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

MAY DELIVERY.

Liverpool, April 18.

Previous Closing	5.16
To-day's Opening	5.13
Difference	—.03
To-day's Closing	5.05
Difference	—.11

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HEAVY LOSSES IN SPECULATION ?

Death Supposed To Be Due To Opium Poisoning

Jagmohandas Umttiram was brought to the G. T. Hospital by his relations in an unconscious condition on the afternoon of the 15th inst. He lived with his mother, wife and two cousins.

It appears that about 8.30 p.m. the previous night he went out for a walk as usual and returned at about midnight. Sleeping for only half an hour he suddenly became unconscious. He was at once removed to hospital.

Inquiries made show that he was involved in heavy losses on account of speculation. A search of his room revealed nothing suspicious.

He died on the noon of the 17th inst. As the cause of death is conjectured to be opium poisoning or Cerebral Haemorrhage his estomach contents have been sent to the Chemical Analyser for examination.

The inquest will be held later.

JAIL FOR BREACH OF RESTRAINT ORDER

(From A Correspondent).

BROACH, April 18.

Dr. Chandulal Desai was sentenced to one year's rigorous imprisonment by the First Class Magistrate, Broach City, under the Emergency Powers Act for breach of the notice issued by the District Magistrate. He has been given "B" class.

THE BOMBAY CHRONICLE

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19, 1933

ASKING FOR THE MOON

In a few weeks or a few months' time a World Economic Conference will be held in London to devise ways and means for accelerating economic revival. Mr. Ramsay MacDonald has set his heart on such a conference, as he declares that this is the only step now required to bring back prosperity to the world. The Federation of Indian Merchants at Delhi discussed this question and came to definite decisions on it. The Federation passed a lengthy resolution demanding, among other things, that India should be represented at the Conference "only by Indians enjoying the confidence of the Indian commercial community," and not by men of the type who now overcrowd the Joint Parliamentary Committee. Incidentally we may mention that it is also necessary that the men selected should enjoy the confidence of the general community as well. All these years the Indian case has been represented at such conferences by officials who cannot by any means be called champions of Indian interests and as a result India has been sacrificed at the altar of imperialism. That ought not to be tolerated at the next Conference, if it is to be regarded seriously. India must be represented by real Indians who have the confidence of her own people.

WILL EUROPE REFORM?

In a very large measure the present economic policy followed by most of the countries is responsible for the world stagnation, and unless Europe can be persuaded to turn its back on its outworn theories, its antagonisms, its secret trade pacts, its political alliances, its plans for the conquest of the weaker peoples of the world and their economic enslavement and exploitation, we are afraid nothing effective for the world's good will come out of any Conference. We do not know whether the British Government is in a position to abrogate the Ottawa Pact, which has been forced both on its own country and this by the exploiting caste, and go back to her Free Trade policy. But the Ottawa Pact has brought no benefit to her, or her millions of starving unemployed or to India. India, being powerless to order her own destiny and tied to the wheels of Britain's economic chariot, and must do what she is told. But that will not help the end the Economic Conference has in view. Some of the methods suggested by the Federation are improvement in commodity prices, specially agricultural products, and the regulation of currency and exchange policies to suit the changing needs of the country.

ASKING FOR THE MOON.

We are afraid the Federation is asking for the moon, when it demands a thorough revision of the exchange and currency policies of the country to suit its urgent requirements. The Government have consistently refused in the past to do what it is now asked to do. To be frank, these important matters, which have such a vital bearing on the trade and commerce of the country, have been ordered to suit the needs of Great Britain. No amount of special pleading will convince the country that the fixation of the rupee at 1/6 was for the good of India, or that the rupee was linked to the pound sterling also for the same purpose when England went off the gold standard. So, we are rather sceptical, like the gentlemen who supported the resolution in case anything good might come out of it. However come out of it. But the the protest of Indian merchants is there and though we have little hope that any world conference will be of any great benefit to India it is on record.

COURTING CATASTROPHE.

But Britain should be warned that, unless the prosperity of this country is assured, England alone will not be able permanently to prosper and her trade must continue to stagnate. If this country could shape her economic destiny according to her urgent needs, with a single eye to her own prosperity, it might be possible to dispel the present economic miasma which is driving her people to desperation. But India has no Roosevelt though she has many Hoovers, who have no use for the country, and who require to be scrapped entirely, if India is ever to attain prosperity. Whether that prosperity will proportionally improve the condition of the masses depends on many other factors which need not be discussed here. The fact to be faced is that the sufferings of the masses have come to the breaking point and unless we wish to court a catastrophe there must be a radical and an immediate change.

Nothing Next

Once again the Liberals have failed to give a clear and spirited lead to the public. For the past few weeks their spokesmen have been thundering against the White Paper proposals; and the public naturally expected them to suggest effective measures to frustrate Government's attempts to pursue a scheme so innately rotten as they have shown the White Paper to be. Their responsibility to give a lead in the matter was specially heavy in view of the fact that the Congress is practically muzzled. But the Liberal Federation, like its President, has contented itself with the verbal condemnation of Government's proposals.

WHAT NEXT?—NOTHING!

Dewan Bahadur Ramachandra Roa's speech says the "Leader", "is among the most powerful indictments of the White Paper that the country has listened to so far." We could say the same thing of the Federation's resolution on that document. But the question on the lips of every earnest inquirer is: What next? The Cabinet are obviously determined to impose upon the country the White Paper scheme, or probably something worse, continuing to use Indians themselves as their tools. How are those efforts to be foiled? The Federation has no suggestion to make and in fact, has altogether evaded this question. The President did so perhaps on the plea that it was necessary for him not to pre-judge what many Liberals regarded as a controversial issue. But the Federation itself had no excuse of any kind for evasion of the issue.

MORE EVASION.

A specific question before the Federation was its attitude towards the Joint Select Committee, whether because the very basis of the scheme to be considered by the Committee is unacceptable to the Liberals or because the constitution of the Committee reduces Indians to the humiliating position of puppets, it was necessary for the Federation to refuse to accept that position. But it has evaded this question, too. Altogether, the Federation has done little more than indulge in high-sounding but empty denunciation of the White Paper. Something more was expected from an old political party than what might have sufficed for an undergraduate's debate of, perhaps, rather unusual brilliance.

IS IT TOO LATE?

A redeeming feature of the Federation's proceedings is its emphatic condemnation of Government's repressive measures and its demand for the immediate release of Mahatma Gandhi and other Congress prisoners "equally on grounds of justice and expediency." It is to be noted that, while the Federation urges Congress to abandon Civil Disobedience, it does not make the release of Congress prisoners conditional on the previous abandonment of the campaign. But, in any case, it is doubtful whether Government will be much impressed by the resolution of a body that rarely ventures beyond verbal protests. The least that the Liberals could have done, even if they wished to co-operate with the Joint Committee, was to declare that they would not offer any measure of co-operation unless and until their demand for the release of Congress prisoners is conceded. Is it yet impossible for them to do so in consultation with Nationalist leaders.

PRESS VIEWS

Scotch The Lies

Dr. Rabindranath Tagore's statement on the pernicious character of systematic anti-Indian propaganda in the West and his suggestions for counter-acting it should engage the serious attention of our people. Dr. Tagore has justly emphasised that "no Government in the world, however powerful, can do without the moral support of wider humanity, and that is why politicians include it in their diplomatic dealing to cultivate world opinion with the manure of lies." To counter-act these lies is a task of no small magnitude. But something effective will have to be done to scotch these lies and bury them.—"Advance."

Discrimination, Never !

From a statement made by Sir Guthrie Russel in the Assembly it appears that during the year 1931-32, the East Indian Railway spent on the Oakgrove School, Mussoorie, alone Rs. 1,62,847, while they spent only Rs. 75,356 on the entire number of 29 Indian schools maintained by them. And yet the spokesmen of the Railway Board have been telling us that they have abolished racial discrimination and all remaining vestiges of it from the railway administration.—"Leader."

A Principal's Fiat

The Principal of the Chittagong College has expelled one student and rusticated another, for a term for writing revolutionary slogan on the walls of the College building. We cannot congratulate the Principal on his action. Getting rid of a pupil is not the way to mend his ways. If the influence of a teacher has any virtue for moulding the character of the taught, it is precisely on those who stand in need of correction that such influence ought to be exercised to the uttermost. The Chittagong chastisement amounts in effect to an abdication of the real vocation of a teacher in regard to the gravest of his responsibilities, namely, the formation of the character of the young. And this is indeed a great pity. —"Liberty."

Absolute Impotence

It is bad enough to say, as the Secretary of State has said from the first, that the Indian delegates are neither to record their vote at the conference nor to sign the report of the Committee. It is much worse to say, as Lord Hailsham now does, that the Committee will be at liberty to determine the exact degree of assistance or collaboration, if any, that it will care to have from the Indian delegates. The second statement really reduces the Indian delegates to a position of absolute impotence. Even if the whole frame-work of the scheme and the entire policy of the Government had not made it repugnant to every patriotic and self-respecting Indian to co-operate with the Joint Parliamentary Committee in any form or shape, this particular statement would have made it impossible for him to do so. We doubt if even our co-operators-at-any-price-and-at-all-costs will be able to swallow this statement.—"Tribune."

A Humiliating Procedure

Speaking seriously, the decision of the Joint Committee to invite applications from intending witnesses to give evidence, reserving to itself full right to reject such applications and, in the case of those finally selected, to determine the amount of evidence to be heard and the manner and form of that invitation are an unheard-of procedure to follow where the subject matter for discussion is the establishment of a relationship of honourable co-operation and partnership between two different countries and races. The procedure adopted is extremely humiliating and galling to one's sense of self-respect. But whether it will appear to be so in the eyes of those of our countrymen who are bent upon offering their co-operation at all cost and in all circumstances is more than we can say. Insult has been added to injury. But will it prick the conscience of our friends?—"Searchlight."

Playing The Game

Mahatmaji's letter to the Viceroy is a generous offer conceived in a generous spirit. The Government have said more than once that they would welcome constructive co-operation on the part of the Congress. Of that desire to co-operate in that spirit there could be no fairer evidence than this momentous letter which the Congress leader is said to have written. Will Lord Willingdon and his colleagues now play the game?—"Hitavada."

IS INDIA OVER POPULATED?

What Is The Lesson Of Infant Mortality ?

(BY A LECTURER IN ECONOMICS.)

Over-population is a relative term, relative to the means of subsistence. A country may have the maximum density per square mile and yet it may not be over populated. To a casual observer perhaps it appears a paradox. If the growing density of the country in question is being maintained by the growing wealth and income of the place, the question of over-population does not arise. Some of the European countries have a density of about 700 persons per square mile as compared with 177 persons per square mile in India.

The population of Europe now is two and a half times of what it was in 1880. And yet an average European lives in better comfort than he did a hundred years ago. He lives his life and values it for all the wonderful and varied possibilities it comprises. This has been made possible for him by the ever-increasing inventions and progress which have reduced real cost of production and enhanced national income.

In the West, in spite of this progress of improvement, people are beginning to think that an inordinate increase of numbers is likely to spell danger. Man, no doubt, is the master of things. He has been able to conquer the air as well as the sea. But the fact remains that there are limitations attached to his "mastery". Whatever he does is finally subject to the condition that he must not exhaust the materials that the earth offers to him. Practical people anticipate this contingency and rightly think of controlling their numbers before nature refuses to shower its bounties and cries a halt.

STATIC CONDITIONS.

In India however people think that they live under a "kind heaven" and believe in the unlimited bountifulness of nature. Philosophic resignation and divine contentment are their characteristics. Agriculture is their main occupation. About 69 per cent. of the population are engaged in it. An average Indian peasant is wedded to his soil and his old traditions of agricultural production. His method of production is primitive. He refuses to be jerked out of his old grove. The phrase "progress of improvement" is hardly applicable to his case.

The proportion of population supported by Industries is almost negligible and shows a progressive decrease after each decade. And India is the only country among the civilised countries of the world which has the "distinction of showing this steady decrease in the proportion of population supported by Industries."

These conditions of production can hardly be called 'progressive". They are 'static' through and through. The problem of population, therefore, should be more acute in India than in the case of western countries where the conditions of production are dynamic.

FRIGHTFUL INCREASE.

In spite of all this, the population has been increasing and perhaps at a frightful rate. An Indian must marry and have children—preferably male children, otherwise he cannot enter heaven. "It is doubtful if every

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Frankly Speaking

JAPAN'S NEW LICENCE.

The Japanese are remorselessly pushing forward and capturing not only more territory, but ports as well. All as a purely defensive measure!

An area of about 1,500 square miles is now in their possession and we need not be surprised if they think their conquests are not yet completed. It is ostensibly done for the protection of Manchukuo, the world is informed.

In the meantime the signatories of the Kellog Pact are watching things aas interested, if not amused spectators, no doubt waiting for an opportunity to do likewise, if need be.

How long is this insensate war to go on in China— Japan's severance from the League seems only to have given her a new licence for aggression.

A USEFUL HINT

British politicians are good tacticians and our Moderates might learn a lesson from them.

Lord Lloyd justifies his refusal to serve on the Joint Select Committee on the ground that all those who serve on the Committee "are more or less accepting the policy which now guides the Government" whereas he is wholly opposed to the whole White Paper scheme and policy.

There are Moderates in India who wholly oppose—of course from a different point of view—the scheme and the policy behind it.

They should take a hint from Lord Lloyd and refrain from committing themselves to the scheme by co-operation with the Committee.

WICKEDNESS OF CEYLON

Lord Rothermere has written one of his characteristic articles in the "Daily Mail", stating that the Ceylon constitution is one of the most "crushing arguments" against the Government of India's policy.

It has been made unworkable, he says, and "oriental politicians are simply using it as a lever to harass British interests" and as a weapon for getting "complete independence."

Truth or logic were never the strong point of either the "Daily Mail" and the great press organisations controlled by these war barons.

It is a fact that the Ceylon Governor cannot get on with his Council, for while he wants to employ as many foreigners as he can on high salaries, the Council is for economy, particularly as the Island is suffering from such grave depression.

ROTHERMERE RIGHT

We agree that it is a "crushing argument" against the Government of India's policy, for they must take warning that hybrid constitutions will never work in practice, as shown by the Montford Reforms.

Lord Passfield, who was as good or as bad as the present Secretary of State, Sir P. Cunliffe Lister, refused to listen to the people of Ceylon when he imposed this ramshackle constitution on them.

The result is that there is constant friction between the Council of State and the Governor, who will not even listen to the advice of His Ministers. As a result he has to fall back on his reserve powers.

If the rule by certification is the ideal way of ruling a people like that of Ceylon, we congratulate the MacDonald Cabinet.

"Orient politicians" are no worse than British politicians, though they may be determined to get the better of British interests."

AN OBSELETE IDEAL

Many Princes still continue to speak and act as if beneficent despotism were still their highest political ideal.

Reviewing the administration of Nawanagar during the last 25 years the new Ruler pointed out the various benefits his predecessor had conferred on the people during the period, but he had not a word to say about constitutional advance in the State, obviously because there was no such advance.

It is true that he described the people of Nawanagar, the ruler and the ruled, as belonging to one family, but he was discreetly reticent on the political rights of the people as members of a political family.

TAXATION WITH CONSENT

The inevitable result of the people being denied their legitimate rights and being called upon only to pay the taxes without any control over them is that they are taxed far more than they can bear.

The Jamsaheb pointed out that the revenue of the State had increased from Rs. 22 lakhs in 1907 to 95 lakhs in the current year. One cannot but suspect that the taxes now weigh heavily on the people, especially on the poorest ryots.

The Jamsaheb has remitted two annas in the rupee in the revenue assessment for the last year and a like amount for the current year. That is good so far as it goes, but it is not enough. The people are entitled to a voice in deciding how the taxes paid by them should be expended.

Readers' Views

DR. SOLANKI'S CANDIDATURE

To The Editor of "The Chronicle"

Sir,—I beg to draw attention to the coming election of the Schools Committee for which Dr. Solanki, P. G. is a candidate. In his declaration for his candidature, Dr. Solanki has declared himself as one of the Depressed Class of the Dhed Weaver Gujarati class and wants to pose as a Hindu depressed class representative.

Dr. Solanki belongs to a caste called Mayawanshi, which is not considered untouchable, nor depressed. Mayawanshi has got no restrictions as to the use of public hotels or wells. They consider the Dehds as untouchables. Moreover Dr. Solanki has adopted Christianity and he does not represent the depressed class at all. As soon as he becomes a Christian, the idea of untouchability and depression goes away.

We the unders'gned humbly request the Bombay Municipality to cancel the candidature of Dr. Solanki as a representative of the Hindu D. C. for whom a special allotment of seats is made.—Yours, etc.,

K. M. Rathod,
Secretary, Shree Meghwall Navyuvan Bharat Sangh.
Bombay, April 17.

"INDIAN BOSSES"

To The Editor of "The Chronicle"

Sir,—Putting aside a few exceptions of the best and large-hearted Indian bosses from the cultured and philanthropic Indian communities, an average Indian "boss" can never be compared with a European one.

An Indian has invariably self-interest at heart, and often desires to thrive at the sacrifice of the dumb employees working under him, whereas a European, howsoever harsh he may be from exterior, is kind interior, and does not crave to eat the whole bread without throwing at least a sufficient morsel of it to his faithful servants.

An Indian has more or less inclination for communal bias, whereas crystalline justice is always expected by the Indians from a European.

Any complaints or representations made even by the poorest clerks or peons are promptly attended to by European bosses, whereas the poor seldom receive any heed from Indian masters. As for example, so much so that even strong and combined petitions made by the public of Dharavi Island to purely Indian bodies, like the Local Board are treated as scraps of paper in some cases, whereas a complaint received from a menial or a "Mahar" is sympathetically considered by Collectors and high European Omcers.

India would have been independent years ago but the above facts have made India a "milch cow" by Indians themselves for the Europeans.—Yours, etc.,

"P. P."

BANDRA NUISANCE

To The Editor of "The Chronicle".

Sir,—For years past Suburban passengers pass the Bandra Slaughter House holding handkerchiefs to their noses, or holding their breath.

Is it not a shame to the fair name of "Urbs Prima in Indis"? Ought not the men of advanced science and advanced mechanical skill to be ashamed for not finding out a way of eliminating this offensive smell? The sooner these luminaries put their heads together and find a way out, the better for the fair name of science at least.—Yours, etc.,

A PASSENGER.

Bombay, April 13.

UNEMPLOYMENT

To The Editor of "The Chronicle".

Sir,—The subject of unemployment is being discussed in the various papers of the City.

Government should issue orders to all their departments to stop engaging people from outside the province including those from Goa. It is the duty of each province or State to provide employment for its people and not depend on others. And with this policy Government will surely reduce unemployment. The suggestion if adopted also by Millowners, Banks etc., will prove effective and helpful.—Yours, etc.,

J. T. D.

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utility concern holding a monopoly subject to certain obligations and it is time that the consumer asked the authorities how much longer he must continue to pay for eccentricities in addition to the cost of electrical energy.—Yours, etc.

CONSULTING ENGINEER.

B. E. S. T. AND CONSUMERS

To The Editor of "The Chronicle"

Sir,—Referring to the published report of the Chairman's address to the shareholders of the B. E. S. T. Co., I request the hospitality of your paper to express some views on behalf of Consumers.

Beginning with the Company's "Depreciation Policy" it will be observed that the Reserves of a Banking Corporation, have been built up rather than the modest needs of an electricity concern which need not concern itself with fluctuations in Stocks; and the plea of obsolescence, hardly applies to a purely distributing system having no power plant and operating in a country where labour is cheaper than interest and depreciation on Capital.

Surely the Company is well enough known throughout the area of its License without needing propaganda. "The Showroom Policy" is somebody's pet hobby and whatever the Chairman may say about it there is no doubt that, costing ten times more than its gross sales, it is a white elephant.

It is strange to find the present Chairman eulogising the merits of the agreement with the Hydros after his predecessor, year after year, told the shareholders that it had proved to be disappointing. Prior to the agreement the B. E. S. T. Co. had the Hydros on their knees begging for a look in; yet, what happened? Where it was possible to modernise the Power plant at the cost of a half-crore of rupees it was scrapped at a value of one crore. Where the maximum demand occurred at the no-load period of the Hydros and beneficial to them the Company agreed to pay a fixed monthly charge for maximum demand in addition to a price per unit consumed. It has since been admitted that that price was not based upon nature's free gift of potential energy with every S. W. monsoon, nor upon the modern cost of generating energy, but it was calculated upon the cost of generating with coal brought from Bengal.

In short, the Company scrapped a crore to save a half crore, spent another half crore on a Receiving Station to buy energy at a price less favourable than that enjoyed by a comparatively insignificant Cotton Mill and is now contemplating a revised agreement wherein the price of energy is to be based upon anything but natural power which is not affected by wars and rumours of wars.

It is time that the consumer threw his weight in to safeguard his own interests. Already the Hydros are in the hands of foreigners whose national trait is the artificial maintenance of price levels. The Directorates of the two concerns are more or less (a little more than less) identical so that it only remains for a fresh agreement and another conversion of capital aided by huge Reserves to make consumers empty their pockets at New York.

We certainly "need not go far from Bombay," as the Chairman remarks, to find estimates exceeded by many lakhs but such excesses might readily be traced to that horror of Indian industry, the Managing Agency System. The B. E. S. T. Co. is free from this bugbear but is nevertheless more than capable of abnormal expenditure, as may be judged from the scrapping of the Power House, also from the expenditure of 1¼ lakhs in a vain effort to increase the capacity of a Rotory Sub-Station with new plant that finally would not "parallel" with the old and so necessitated two lakhs more for an additional sub-station.

Out of respect for your valuable space I will conclude with just one more specimen. A consumer was for ten years paying 1¼ anna per unit for the B. E. S. T. Co's Low Tension supply in four Oil Mills within a radius of 200 yards. At his awakening the most rational thing for the Supply Company to do was to agree to a modest flat rate and continue to supply as before but the mathematics attendant upon such matters was too much for a tribe of technicians with the qualifications of copying clerks The Company preferred to imitate the Hydros and offered Bulk Supply rates subject to the consumer spending Rs. 6,000 to couple up his mills and the Company spending Rs. 25,000 in High Tension cables and equipment to immitate the Hydros. Results have proved that the consumer now pays about half what he did before for the same amount of energy whereas the B. E. S. T Co. has spent Rs. 25,000 with recurring interest and depreciation just for the fun of their sacrifice.

The B. E. S. T. Co. is a public

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LIBERALS VOTE DOWN WHITE PAPER

[illegible]e Dual Appeal For Jail Delivery And For Calling Off C. D. Movement

[illegible]even hours' sitting, the Liberal Federation concluded on Monday.

[illegible] the resolutions, while protesting against repression, Government and Congress to call off war and help

[illegible]solution protesting against the White Paper was moved Srinivasa Sastri who made a strong case against the Government for going back upon Irwin's pledge of [illegible]n Status.

[illegible]andit Kunzru and Mr. C. Y. Chintamani spoke on the reso[illegible]ion and condemned White Paper proposals in strong terms.

CALCUTTA, April 17.

The National Liberal Federation, at its meeting this morning adopted a resolution disapproving of civil disobedience but at the same time protesting against "repressive measures." The resolution urged, on grounds of justice and expediency the release without delay of Mr. Gandhi and other Congressmen. The Federation appealed to the Congress to abandon civil disobedience and to the Government to adopt a policy of wise conciliation.

Among those present to-day were Sir Edward Benthall and Sir Bepin Behary Ghose.

Moving the resolution, Mr. J. N. Basu, the Bengal Liberal leader said that the non-co-operation movement,—born out of despair, had done much more injury to the people themselves than those against whom it was directed. He advised his countrymen not to give way to the spirit of despair but to go on with a spirit of trust inasmuch as he felt that the spirit of Civil Disobedience was practically putting up a fight which was negation of law and order. He appealed to Britain to regulate her action and policy that there might be no further spread of the exasperation and ill-feeling now existing.

Mr. N. M. Joshi (Bombay) seconding said that he was not one of those who held the view that every form of Civil Disobedience was unconstitutional but the Liberals could not approve of Civil Disobedience in any form as a matter of policy. To the Congress they said that although constitutional means might be long and tedious still they should be adopted as they were the right ones. To Government they said that although law and order might be established by extraordinary measures such as ordinances these should not be restorted to in the interests of the liberty and freedom of non-Congressmen.

SASTRI ATTACKS WHITE PAPER

The Rt. Hon. Srinivasa Sastri who moved the White Paper resolution, said "Let Government create political appeasement and satisfy the demands of the people, and so far as the demands go, let me repeat a hundred times that Congressmen and we differ very slightly."

He added that the study of the White Paper and the debates of the two Houses of Parliament had convinced them that the ideal of Dominion Status as promised by Lord Irwin on behalf of His Majesty's Government was not even going to be admitted expressly by this National Government. While the Englishman to his advantage might forget the definite promises made by Lord Irwin, Indians must keep it in the forefront of their political programme and ask of the Englishman, reluctant and unwilling as he might be, to redeem that pledge made to the population of 300 millions.

AGAINST INDIA.

As regards safeguards Mr. Sastri said that several of these were exclusively in the interests of Great Britain, while several others were demonstrably against the interests of India.

He had borne no great political part in the Civil Disobedience movement but the statesmen, who had made the Empire and wished to preserve it, could not forget the forces that constituted the very fabric of human nature. They could not forget the fact that a movement of this kind might for the moment be checked but, if not handled properly and met justly and wisely, in time it was bound to reappear and when it did reappear, it might carry all before it. "It is perfectly satisfying to me to be member of the Self-Governing Commonwealth on equal terms with great Britain, Canada South Africa and other Dominions. Anything else than that, however, will be unwelcome and will be the seed of dispute and distort."

WARNING TO PRINCES

Dealing with the question of Federation, Mr. Sastri said that if by any chance, owing to prejudice, ignorance and antipathy of the Princes, this movement was frustrated they and their advisers would be regarded as the enemies of India's political progress and as those who were willing to be used in order to block the way of India to the achievement of her destiny.

He next referred to the question of the services and asked if they had ever heard of a responsible government, ruling over 300 millions of people, was not able to have its own services. This, it seemed to him, was the very limit of absurdity. It seemed to him that India whatever she did, ought not to submit to that indignity.

Finally, Mr. Sastri said that momentum which the political agitation had gathered to-day was mostly of the making of those who were responsible for the present movement. "Can we forget the countless sacrifices they have made? Can we forget the way in which they have been handled by the police in the streets of every town and village? Are all these sufferings going to naught? Sir Samuel Hoare is satisfied that he has put down the movement. I admit that he has. But what is he going to do? Is it to recreate the conditions which had made that movement possible? Will he not, in the course of five years, exactly revive these very noxious conditions which made the movement possible. Believe me, if the Conservatives are wise, they ought to use the lull they have produced to create in this country a condition of wholesome feelings between the two races and to make the people and Government into one organic body bent upon one common interest for the welfare of the whole population."

WANTED NATIONAL ARMY.

Supporting the main resolution regarding the White Paper, Pandit Hirday Nath Kunzru confined his remarks to India's Defence and the proposals, in this connection, made in the White Paper. He declared: "We want a national army consisting only of Indian officers and soldiers drawn from all classes and communities." He wanted a definite scheme for the Indianisation of the army in the higher grade within a definite period. Pandit Kunzru wanted a clear enunciation of the policy by Government recognising India's unquestioned right to control her own army. He protested against the policy of recruiting for the army from one province only.

Concluding, the speaker remarked that the vast majority would reconcile itself even to the defects in the constitution if it were assured that it was the firm intention of His Majesty's Government to create a National Army within a limited period.

DOMINION MODEL.

By the resolution the Federation recorded its strong conviction that the White Paper proposals as they stood could not possibly satisfy even the most moderate section of the progressive opinion and would far from appeasing unrest and allaying discontent aggravate the present unhappy condition and further alienate the opinion from Government.

The Federation expressed the opinion that generous and far-reaching measure of real reform on the line of Dominion conditions, which could make India an equal member of the British Commonwealth of Nations, would alone meet India's requirements to satisfy the national self-respect of the people of the country.

Winding up the debate, Mr. C. Y. Chintamani wanted it to be recorded as a matter of fact that Mr. Ramananda Chaterjee, though invited to participate in the discussions leading to the conclusion of the Poona Pact, could not attend owing to another public engagement and also that the annual conference of the All-India Hindu Mahasabha, which met at Delhi a few days after the Poona Agreement, did not express its disapproval of the Pact.

Mr. Chintamani contested the assertion that the White Paper proposals were based upon the maximum agreement reached at the Round Table Conferences. The truth was, he said, that the Conferences as a whole were never afforded an opportunity of recording their considered judgment on the reports of the various sub-committees which discussed the problems. Speaking for himself, without the slightest intention of committing the Federation, Mr. Chintamani said that he did not want the scheme outlined in the White Paper to be embodied in an Act of Parliament. They did not want showy and costly trappings of the constitutional machinery while the constitution would in every way be unconstitutional.

After seven hours sitting the Liberal Federation concluded its fourteenth session at 7 p.m. today. A resolution, protesting against the premature ratification of the Ottawa Agreement, the effect of which was generally considered by people in India as likely to be more injurious than beneficial was adopted.

Another resolution recorded full support to the swadeshi movement for the progress of Indian trade, while a third accorded fullest support to the nation-wide movement for the removal of untouchability and the uplift of the backward classes and approving of the principles underlying the legislative measures now before the Assembly.

The next session of the Federation is invited to meet at Madras during Christmas this year.—A.P.

'ZENITH' DRAKSHASAV.
Is The BEST TONIC Of The Day

SUBHAS BOSE'S HEALTH

Operation After Advice Of Specialists

SPECIAL DIET

Government Of Bengal Blamed

LONDON, April 18.

The question of whether to conduct an operation on him for his internal complaint had not yet been decided, said Sjt. Subhas Chandra Bose, interviewed by Reuter, in the Sanatorium at Vienna. Sjt. Bose said his physicians were anxious to avoid operation, but would not finally decide until the opinion was known of two further specialists, who were being called in. If an operation was unnecessary, Sjt. Bose, who expected to remain for some months in Europe hoped to go to an Austrian mountain resort. He said he was feeling the benefit of the special diet he was now receiving. He blamed the Government of Bengal for not permitting him to go to Calcutta months ago, where he could have received best medical advice, and the real nature of his complaint would doubtless have been established.—Reuter.

Subhas Bose To Visit Switzerland Subject To Medical Advice

(From Our Correspondent).

NAGPUR, April 18.

In a letter addressed to Mr. Tijare, Principal, Tilak Vidyalaya, Nagpur, Sjt. Subash Bose from Vienna writes:—"Subject to medical advice I intend to visit Switzerland. I have not made much progress since coming here, but there has been no further deterioration. I am afraid progress will be slow."

NAZI PLANS IN AUSTRIA CHECKED?

Dollfuss - Mussolini Parleys Sequel

(SPECIAL CABLE)

VIENNA, April 18.

Nazi plans in Austria are believed to have been checked as a result of a visit of Doctor Dollfuss, the Austrian Chancellor, to Rome. Dr. Dollfuss gained impresesion in talks, with Sgr. Mussolini that the Italian Government would fully support him in his present line, and would, in no way, approve of outside influences being exercised upon Austria. Dr. Dollfuss made this clear in conversations with Herr Von Papen.—Reuter.

IS INDIA OVER POPULATED ?

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married man will enter heaven but it is certain that many of them live in hell on this earth." The following figures indicate the size of population on each census, the first census being taken in the year 1872.

1872	206 Millions.	Increase.
1881	253 Millions.	23.2
1891	287 Millions.	13.2
1901	294 Millions.	2.5
1911	315 Millions.	7.1
1921	319 Millions.	1.2
1931	352 Millions.	10.6

According to these figures, the increase of population in 1931 as compared with 1872 is 71.08 per cent.

NO OUT LET

That both agriculture and Industries have failed so far to provide an outlet for this huge population is borne out by the following facts.

In Agriculture, the increase of population, under the existing laws of inheritence, has subdivided holdings to an uneconomic extent. The average holding in India, according to the estimates of Dr. Harold Mann, in 1771 was 40 acres. Now it is between 3 to 4 acres. In some places it is less than 1/4th of an acre. Cultivation according to the modern methods of production is well-nigh impossible. We are thus getting "diminishing returns" from land, and agricultural incomes are falling.

Industrialisation along modern lines has been very slow. The new organised Industries can almost be counted on figures. The Cottage Industries in the process of adjustment have been decaying on account of the machine competition both from within and outside. Even population released by the Cottage Industries has not been wholly absorbed by the new large-scale Industries.

HIGHEST DEATH RATE.

The conclusion is irresistible. There is redundancy of population. Man has been slow to appreciate it. But nature is always alert. It, therefore, steps in with all its cruel weapons to bring about an adjustment between food supply and population. India has got the highest death rate in the world excepting China. Infant mortality is highest in India as compared with the leading countries of the world. Out of every thousand children born, 265 die within the first three years. Infant mortality has decreased in the European countries during recent times. In India it shows no signs of decrease.

Thsis is a dismal state of affairs. Is it really, one might ask, worth while to bring into the world children for whom there is no provision and who are doomed to die at an early age?

CITY & SUBURBAN PROBABLES

(SPECIAL CABLE)

LONDON, April 18.

The following are City and Suburban probables: Dastur (Beary); Totaig (Carslake); Inglesant (Pat Beasley); Great Scot (Collins); Pommane (Perryman); Colorado Kid (Gordon Richards); Clogheen (Graves); Wildson (Nicholl); Epicture (Weston); Barrage (W. Rickaby); Sandfield (Smith) Flange (Dines); Leicestershire (Evans); The Cheerful Abbot (Cliff Richards); Bonsoldat (Canty); No jockeys have been selected for Galdennis and Unlikely.—Reuter.

MRS. BONNEY REACHES SINGAPORE

(SPECIAL CABLE)

SINGAPORE, April 18.

Mrs. Bonney arrived here at 6/52 p. m. after twelve-hour hop from Batavia.—Reuter.

On his assumption of the Governorship of the Punjab, Sir Herbert Emerson was presented in the Town Hall on Monday with three separate addresses by the Lahore Municipal Committee, the Lahore District Board and the District Soldiers' Board. A.P.

GUARD INDIAN INTERESTS AT WORLD ECONOMIC CONFERENCE

Commerce Chambers Condemn White Paper Proposals As Reactionary And Retrograde

NEW DELHI, April 17.

At the meeting of the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce to-day Mr. N. R. Sarkar moved a resolution on the White Paper condemning it as retrograde and reactionary and appealing to Government to make such alterations in the proposals as will secure the co-operation of the Indian people in their working.

Mr. Chetty supported the resolution.

Mr. Santanam at this stage wanted to move an amendment to the resolution but the President held that such an amendment should be handed over to him before being moved, which was done by the mover.

The main contention of Mr. Santanam's amendment [illegible] proper consideration of [illegible] Paper was impossible under circumstances in which freedom of speech and press was denied and the Congress continued to be suppressed. It urged that no useful purpose would be served by participation in the consideration of the constitutional changes unless and until full political liberty was restored.

Negotiations for a compromise were set afoot. When ten minutes had passed and when the proceedings were in suspense Mr. Abdur Rahim Sindhi protested in the House that they were being treated so shabbily.

The President thereupon suggested that they should proceed with the next resolution with a view to enabling the negotiators to reach a compromise.

WORLD ECONOMIC CONFERENCE.

Mr. D. P. Khaitan accordingly moved the following resolution on the world economic conference:—

"This federation is of the opinion that India should be represented at the World Economic Conference only by Indians enjoying the confidence of the Indian commercial community. This Federation urges that on behalf of India the point that should be stressed at the said Conference is that, in order to rehabilitate the buying power and economic strength of the masses, it is necessary to take immediate steps for increasing the prices of commodities in general and specially of agricultural products within the country, that the currency and exchange policy of India should be regulated with the above end in view, that India should have the fullest liberty to become self-subsistent and develop all industries that can be developed in the conditions of India and thereby solve the problem of unemployment and underemployment in the country.

"The Federation is emphatically of the opinion that in determining any scheme regarding organisation and production the said Conference should not treat countries backward in economic development on a par with more advanced ones and should not recommend indiscriminately the same kinds of restrictions on all countries generally but leave special scope for the development of less advanced countries, particularly of those like India, whose industrial organisations are not dependent on external markets."

PROTECT INDIAN INTERESTS.

Mr. Khaitan, speaking on his resolution, dwelt upon the international economic situation and analysed the factors which contributed to the present impasse. He was sceptical about the achievements of the forthcoming World Ecoonmic Conference and feared that its deliberations would share the fate of those of its predecessors. It was necessary, he said, to see that Indian interests were not sacrificed to those of my other country, especially in view of the fact that Indians were not free to determine their own economic policy. He felt suspicious of those who were likely to represent India at the conference and warned the Legislature not to accept resolutions if they clashed with Indian interests. In this connection he cited the Ottawa Pact which was ratified by it though, he observed, it was highly prejudicial to the interests of India. He urged that the prices of agricultural commodities be raised in order to make the country progress on the road to prosperity through shaping the currency policy in such a way as to achieve this end and also to stabilise the exchange at a ratio which would be in the interests of the country.

The Economic Conference, he concluded, should not make the mistake of treating different countries on the same footing and should bear in mind the differences prtvailing in countries which were highly industrialised and those where industry was still in its embryonic stage.

RISE IN SILVER PRICE.

Mr. H. P. Bagaria, seconding the resolution, doubted if any good would come out of the Conference. He thought that it was quite useless to expect anything from the Government in the matter of raising prices as [illegible] Government would never try to understand their feelings and do the needful.

MM. Shroff felt that the constitution of the Federation was faulty. They met at the eleventh hour and drafted ill-conceived and faulty resolutions.

Sir S. V. Mehta supported the resolution and referred to the Government's policy regarding the export of gold and said that the question of the gold standard would oe discussed at the World Economic Conference. He felt that the resolution should have some constructive scheme also and suggested that a five per cent rise in the price of silver would improve the purchasing power of the masses.

Mr. Khaitan did not agree with the view.

The resolution was carried.

ATTITUDE UNCHANGED.

Mr. Walchand Hirachand, the President, announced, "With regard to the amendment moved by Mr. Santanam, I find that there is nothing new in it. Our policy about participation or non-participation in the deliberations of constitutional reform was taken by us long ago and it still stands as long as the question has not been raised by any member of the body. I therefore request Mr. Santanam to withdraw his amendment."

Mr. Santanam: "Sir, I value your appeal. In view of the fact that the policy of the Federation in regard to participation in the deliberations regarding constitutional reforms, laid down by the Federation still stands undetered and in view of your assurance that there would be no discussion on the White Paper and that other amendments would be withdrawn, I have no objection in withdrawing my amendment."

The amendment was withdrawn and the resolution as proposed by Mr. Sarkar was adopted.

INTERNAL AFFAIRS.

There was considerable discussion on the proposed amendments to the constitution of the Federation.

Mr. Kapadia pointed out that the great defect in the constitution was that the bye-laws of Federation could not be changed by the members.

Mr. Shroff criticised the amendments at great length and suggested the appointment of a small committee to examine the whole question in the light of the suggestions of the member bodies.

Mr. Manmohandas pointed out that it was the inherent right of the delegate to propose amendments at the session.

Mr. Babaria claimed that there were many objectionable features in the amendments and he could not vote for them. He suggested their postponement.

Sir Purshottamdas Thakurdas gave the history of the amendments and said that two years ago the matter was referred to a sub-committee composed of Messrs. Khaitan and Master who were never under the influence of the Executive Committee. They submitted their report which was circulated to member bodies for eliciting their opinions which was further considered by the Executive Committee. He asserted that if the Federation was to continue, it must be guided by the opinions of the member bodies and not individual delegates, if such opinions had been expressed. He, however, had no objection to the postponement of the question.

At the instance of Mr. Bagaria the question was adjourned till the next annual session.

SARKAR ELECTED PRESIDENT.

Mr. Sarkar was elected the President for the next year. The following were elected to the executive committee.

Messrs. G. D. Birla, B. Das, Shankarrao G. Gangla, Walchand Hirachand, Kasturbhai Lalbhai, Chunilal B. Mehta, Ibrahim G. Karimbhai, Amrit Lal Ojha, Lala Sri Ram, Lala Padampat Singhania, P. S. Sodbans and Sir Purushottamdas Thakurdas.

The session was then dissolved.—A. P.

LLOYD EXPLAINS

LONDON, April 17.

Lord Lloyd setting out in detail his reasons for refusing to serve on the Joint Select Committee says "All those who serve on the Commitee are more or less accepting the policy which now guides Government, the policy of endeavouring to buy goodwill by concession and [illegible]otiation.

I am so sin[illegible] and deeply convinced of [illegible]gers inherent in that [illegible] I cannot in honesty take a [illegible] which subscribes to it.—Reuter.

JOYOUS GREETING WINS

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LONDON, April 18.

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CALCUTTA, April 18.

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Proposed Amendment Of Waqf Act

(From A Correspondent.)

The sixth extract from the religious text books of the Dawoodi Bohras invoked by "Gulzare Hakimi" in its endeavour to disprove the claims of Mulaji Saheb is from "Havashi." It says that the management of Wakf properties is to be entrusted by the creator of the Wakf to his nearer relatives in preference to strangers. At first sight it might appear that it is not necessary that the Imam or the Dailmutlak, during the absence of the Imam, should be the trustee; but if we read this extract along with another extract from the same book which is No. 8 in the serial order we find that, if the donor or the creator of the Wakf appoints a person who is not honest and who cannot be relied upon the Qazi can cancel that appointment and can appoint another honest and reliable man in his place. Thus it follows that in matters of Wakf the final authority rests with the Qazi.

Now who is the Qazi according to Shia Ismaili Tayyebi Daoodi religion. We believe that Prophet Mohammad (May peace be on him) was the Qazi so long as he was alive. He was succeeded by Maulana Ali who was his Vasi (executor). He was succeeded by Imams till the chain of succession reached the 21st Imam Moulana Tayyeb. When the 21st Imam went into seclusion the holy mission was continued by the Dailulmutlaks by the orders of the Imams. Thus according to us Dailulmutlaks are the Qazis referred to in extract number 8 from Havashi. They are sole and final authorities in all matters relating to Wakf.

This passage fully justifies our contention that His Holiness Sirdar Sayedna Taher Saifuddin Saheb s the sole and final authority so far as the Wakfs of the Daoodi Bohras are concerned.

The extract number 7 from "Havashi" says that any man or woman may be appointed as executor. It does not refer to Wakf. If it be stretched to apply to Wakfs also, its application is controlled by the extract number 8 discussed above.

DAWOODI BOHRAS RULE.

The extract number 9 from "Havashi, says that even if there be no formal declaration of Wakf and if the owner has permitted the use of the property as if it were Wakf, the property so used will be regarded as Wakf it mattering little if nobody is appointed to manage it. This passage fully bears out our contention that the Wakf property vests in the Imam and during his absence and seculusion in the Dailulmutlak for the purposes of management and administration thereof. If it were not so a great difficulty would arise in case of those Wakfs for which no trustee is appointed.

According to the Dawoodi Bohras whether there be or there be no trustee, if the Wakf has been validly created there is Imam and during his absence the Dailmutlak to administer it. When there is permanent dedication of any property for religious and charitable purposes, the property vests in God. Imam being the vicergent and the representative of God on earth the Wakf property vests in the Imam for the purposes of administration. And when the Imam is for some reason in seclusion the Wakf property vests in the Dailmutlak.

It is for this reason that chief Justice Marten has remarked in para 158 of his judgment in the Bombay Gulla case "The hand on earth to take these moneys from the Gulla and to distribute them is clearly the Mullaji by himself or his agents. Then as to the earthly objects for distribution of this religious fund, I think the weight of evidence points to a general conclusion and belief by the donors that their gifts will be applied by the Mullaji for what I may call the usual objects of a Gulla."

UNFOUNDED CONTENTION.

The extracts 10 and 11 from Oyunul Akhbar show that the Prophet and his executor Moulana Ali used to distribute the plunder amongst the believers equally. These passages also lend support to our contention that the final authority in all religious matters rests with the Prophet, his executor Moulana Ali and after them the Imams and during the seclusion of the Imams the Dailmutlaks. These passages do not in the least support the opponents of the proposed amendment to the Mussalman Wakf Act of 1923.

The burden of the song of "Gulzare Hakimi" in all its articles is that the conception of the Wakf amongst the Daoodi Bohras is the same as under the general Mohammadon Law. We have therefore discussed all the authorities cited by it and shown that this contention is altogether unfounded and that there is nothing in those passages which in any way negatives our claims. Thus the statement of objects and reasons is in full conformity with our religious text books.

According to the Dawoodi Bohras the Dailmutlak is accountable and responsible to the Imam. When we call the Mullaji Saheb a trustee, what we mean is, that he is accountable to the Imam, the followers having no authority or power to interfere with his management. It is the Imam who has entrusted him with the affairs of Dawat, and it is he who can ask for accounts from him. So is the Imam accountable to God, the true believers having no voice in the matter. There would be no finality, if the people were permitted to question and dispute the authority of the highest religious head.

SUBJECT TO C.P.C.

Unfortunately, for the Dawoodi Bohras the law of the land does not recognise a trustee in the above sense. Hence the Mullaji Saheb is subject to the operation of S. 92, Civil Procedure Code. Is this provision not sufficient to ensure the proper management and administration of the Dawood: Bohra Wakf properties? We submit that this provision is more than sufficient for us, and the Mussalman Wakf Act of 1923 is altogether uncalled for. The Advocate-General of Bombay, after strenuously fighting the Chandabhai Seth Gulla case agreed in the Appellate Court to a consent decree which provided that no action would be taken against the Bohra Wakfs unless and until a 'prima facie' case of mismanagement was made out. Even with regard to the institution of the Gulla case, Justice Martin remarked as under in paras 64, 65, 67 and 68 of his judgment:

Para 64: "One other matter I should mention here, viz: the origin of the suit. It is not pleaded nor is any issue raised about it, but it is one of the surrounding circumstances in the case, and I have borne it in mind throughout. The origin of the suit is due to the dispute between the Mullaji on the one hand and the sons of the late Sir Adamji Peerbhoy and one or two others, on the other hand.

Para 67: "I attach great importance to the Advocate-General acting by an independent Solicitor. If Government had provided such an official for him, as is the case in England, I think it quite likely, that this litigation would never have taken place. It is one thing to lay your private affairs before an independent person, but quite another to do so to the solicitors of your enemy. In this very case, Mr. Acworth, solicitor for the Mullaji, went to the Advocate-General on the 31s July, 1917, and was prepared to produce to him the relevant accounts. Mr. Acworth was not, however, prepared to produce them to his solicitors. Unfortunately, therefore, the offer came to nothing.

Para 68: "As it is, I regret to see that the opening correspondence by the Advocate-General's solicitors demanded practically an immediate reply, and that, the policy of hustling the defendants was maintained down to the hearing of the Chamber Summons before me. In fact there was no urgency and no jeopardy. On the contrary, every thing was to be gained by allowing time for angry passions to subside."

Again, in para 257, while summing the case, the learned Judge has made the following remarks: "The question of costs is not an easy one. This is not a case, I think, where I ought to let the charity bear the costs of the litigation. If I did, little or no charity property might, perhaps, be left. The costs are, at any rate, very large, and probably, amount to several lacs. The result of the suit is that though the plaintiff has succeeded on the main point of principle, viz: the trusteeship, he has failed in the attempt made in the plaint to deprive the Mullaji Saheb of the management of the suit properties." He has also failed on the point as to the Dailmutlak. Proper accounts have been kept of the Gulla moneys by the defendants 1 and 2, i.e., the Mullaji Saheb or their predecessors down to the date of the suit. The suggestions made in the plaintiff's affidavits on the summons for discovery that, the defendants might be tampering with the books, have been shown to be quite unfounded."

Thus the Gulla case, which has been made so much of in the columns of "Gulzar-e-Hakimi," was an outcome of jealousy and ill-will, and did practically, no good to the charity. It resulted in the establishment of certain theoretical principles.

These same persons, who have nothing to do with the Dawoodi Bohra community, are now trying their level best, to secure the application of the Mussalman Wakf Act 1923 to this community in order that they might satisfy their grudge by subjecting the community to unnecessary and wasteful litigation. We are confident that, British justice would prevail, and that, our enemies would not get an opportunity to harass us.

RICH AND PIOUS MEN.

Apart from the religious aspect of the Mussalman Wakf Act, there is another very strong reason why the Dawoodi Bohras are opposed to it. At present our Wakfs are mostly managed by rich, pious and religious-minded persons all over India. They work under the control and supervision of the local Amil and the Mullaji Saheb. They are honorary workers, and have undertaken to manage Wakf properties purely from religious motives. They look for their reward to God and to nobody else. They spend thousands of rupees from their own pockets to maintain charity efficiently. They are traders and maintain proper and regular accounts as did the defendants 1 and 2 in the Gulla case referred to above.

If these persons are subjected to harrassment by the mischiefmongers, as they are likely to be under the Act, the natural result would be that these rich and pious men, who do honorary service, would retire from the trust and instead mercenaries would have to be employed. Thus the charity would be unnecessarily burdened and the administration of the Wakfs would be less efficient than it is at present.

The most conspicuous feature of the report of the Bombay City Wakf Committee is, that it has not been able to show mismanagement of a single Wakf property of the Dawoodi Bohras. Still strangely enough, it had the audacity to recommend that, the Dawoodi Bohras, of all the Mussalmans, need the Mussalman Wakf Act mostly.

SASTRI'S DECLARATION ENCOURAGES

"Indians Have Begun To Feel Value Of W P. Proposals

LONDON, April 18.

Mr. Srinivasa Sastri's declaration that Indian Liberals would support the new constitution despite its defects is one more encouraging sign in the different temper in India, declares the "Manchester Guardian".

Mr. Sastri's statement, coupled with the recent advice of Sir Tej Bahadur Sapru and Mr. M. R. Jayakar that India should co-operate shows that the Moderates feel that a bolder attitude is now possible.

The more vehemently Churchill and his friends denounce the Indian reforms, the more strongly Indians begin to feel that the proposals must have some value after all.

Thus by devious ways the British Extremists are assisting the cause of Indian progress and the consummation of national policy which they wish to destroy.—Reuter.

ACCIDENT TO Col. ETHERTON

PURNEA, April 18.

Col. Etherton, the chief organiser of the Everest Flight, riding at the races yesterday collided with a horse which crossed in front of him bringing down two others. Col. Etherton who was making a good pace was thrown to the stirrup, sustaining slight concussion but the condition is quite normal and satisfactory. He is already out and is attending a football match this evening.—A.P.

RESPONSIBLE FOR LOSS OF 10 LAKHS ?

Indore State Government Member In Trouble

(From A Correspondent)

INDORE, April 17

It is announced that Mr. Paraliet Member of the Commerce and Industry Department having failed to give proper reply to Sir Madgaonkar Adviser to His Highness the Maharaja Holkar in connection with the Mills taxes enquiry, the Government of H. H. the Maharaja Holkar has served a notice through the Foreign Department for causing a loss of about ten lakhs of rupees to the State in minority period. This case will be conducted before Chief Justice Mr. Patkar in the open Court by the end of this month.

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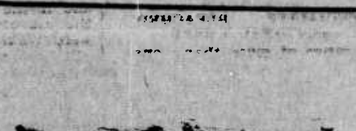

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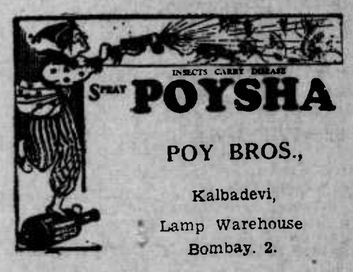

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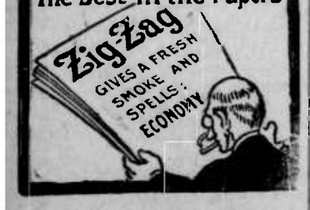

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M. C. C. VISIT TO BOMBAY

Three Day Matches Should Be Arranged

FIGHT TO A FINISH CRICKET APPEALS TO LOCAL SPECTATORS

(By B. R. METHA)

In view of the resolution recently passed by the Hindu Gymkhana it is more than likely that the Quadrangular Tournament will be once again revived and still more probably the Hindus may play against the M. C. C. team when it visits Bombay in the coming winter.

In connection with the expenses of the impending visit of the M. C. C. team it has been stated in the papers that Bombay is to be approached to guarantee a sum of Rs. 25,000. If all the four Gymkhanas of Bombay decide to guarantee the said sum or any other amount, it is but fair that they should do so only on certain terms which the wicketing public of Bombay think to be reasonably necessary. At the time of the last visit of the M. C. C. team the fixture of the matches played in Bombay was so arranged that the public were rightly dissatisfied with the same. Four two-days matches and one three-days match were played, and as was expected all the matches with the solitary exception of one (M. C. C. v. The Bombay Presidency) ended in draw.

THREE DAY MATCHES

I think I am voicing the feelings of the cricketing public when I say that this time no match should be of less than three days and the Test Match must be a four-days' match, because knowing the conditions of the wickets in the month of December two-days' match almost always ends in a draw and is regarded as a farce.

It is to be hoped that the four Gymkhanas will insist on having the fixtures arranged as above, because the sum that they would agree to guarantee is ultimately to come out of the pockets of the cricketing public, whose feelings I have no doubt I am voicing here.

Another point. I think the M. C. C. team will stay in Bombay for at least a fortnight; let the fixture therefore contain at least four matches including one Test Match, all the matches being of three-days each except the Test Match to which four days should be allotted. The fixtures may therefore be as follows:—

1. The M. C. C. v. The Hindus (3 days)
2. The M. C. C. v. The Parsis (3 days)
3. The M. C. C. v. Mahomedans and Europeans combined (3 days)
4. The M. C. C. v. All-India (4 days).

In the above fixtures the Mahomedans and the Europeans are not given separate matches against the M. C. C. team because at the last visit of the M. C. C. team the Mahomedan and the European Gymkhanas had declared that it was difficult for them to turn out a strong team without incurring unnecessary expenses as most of their players are selected from outside the Bombay Presidency. But in case the said two Gymkhanas object to the above fixtures let the fixtures as under:

1. The M. C. C. v. The Hindus and the Parsis (3 days)
2. The M. C. C. v The Mahomedans and the Europeans (3 days)
3. The M. C. C. v. The Bombay Presidency (3 days)
4. The M. C. C. v. The All-India (4 days).

Generally as during the last M. C. C. visit when any of the two communities are combined it is the Hindus and the Mahomedans on one hand and the Parsis and the Europeans on the other hand.

A SUGGESTION.

But I have mentioned the combination of the Hindus and the Parsis for a special reason. It is a well-known fact that when the Parsis and the Hindus are pitted against each other, there is such a keen rivalry that at times some of the members of both the communities so forget themselves as to spoil the good name of the city. For this reason I want the two communities to combine now and then which may promote better feelings and understanding of each other. I have made this observations only in the intedest of cricket and not to condemn either of the communities.

In the matches with the Bombay Presidency and the All-India members of the Indian Christian community will be eligible to play. This will make the Indian teams stronger for who has forgotten the display of Richards the hero of the Ceylon v. Bombay match?

BANDRA TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Bobb And Miss Row Win Singles

The Bandra Club Open Tennis Tournament was concluded on Easter Monday. Mrs. Kania distributed the trophies to the winners, who were as follows:—

MEN'S SINGLES.

E V Bobb beat J Charanjiva, 6—0 6—3

WOMEN'S SINGLES.

Miss L Row beat Miss Bonjour, 6—3 6—0

MEN'S DOUBLES.

J Charanjiva and Ranbirsingh beat Bobb and Pereira 0—6 6—3 6—3

MIXED DOUBLES

J Charanjiva and Miss Row beat Savarna an Miss Talyarkhan.

WOMEN'S DOUBLES

Miss Bonjour and Miss Talyarkhan beat Mrs Snow and Mrs. Shortland.

EX-NEPALESE MAYER CONVICTED FOR FORGERY

C. P. M. Awards Lenient Sentence Of 1 Day But Fines Him Rs. 2,000

The acting Chief Presidency Magistrate delivered judgment on Tuesday morning, in the case in which Nrip Jung Rana, an ex-Nepalee Officer, was charged with forgery and attempted cheating the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation and the Calcutta Branch of the Imperial Bank of India.

The facts of the prosecution case, as already reported, are briefly:

The accused is alleged to have forged two letters in the name of his cousin, Major-General Bishnu Shankar Jang Bahadur Rana, one demanding Rs. 65,650 from the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation and another directing the Imperial Bank to send him Rs. 39,400 to the Ceylon Branch to his account. He was however arrested before he could obtain the money.

PLEADS GUILTY.

The accused pleaded guilty and prayed the court to take a lenient view of the case. He declared that his father and the present Maharaja of Nepal were first cousins, that his father was the Commanding Officer in the Army of Nepal and that he himself was formerly a Major in the Nepalese Army. He thus came of a very respectable and noble family and as he had already been humiliated by having been in the police custody for some days he prayed that the ends of justice would well be met by imposing upon him a fine.

ONE DAY JAIL AND FINE.

The Magistrate convicted the accused and sentenced him to one day's simple imprisonment and an aggregate fine of Rs. 2,000.

Mr. I. S. Haji, Bar-at-Law, defended the accused and Mr. W. Manker, Police Prosecutor, appeared for the Crown.

GREECE MAY RETURN TO MONARCHY

Despite denials from authoritative quarters, the Republican and Venizelist newspaper "Patris" of Athens maintains that it has verification of the report that Colonel Levidis, Aide-de-Camp to ex-King George of G[illegible] to Athens to discuss the possibility of a restoration of the monarchy.

It is stated there have been discussions on the possibility of the future restoration of King George or the restitution to the ex-Royal family of their political and financial rights.

FIRM MANAGER IN TROUBLE

Ordered To Be Bailed Out: Alleged Breach Of Trust

Elias Simon Howard, Branch Manager of Raptkos Brette & Co., at Ballard Estate, Bombay, was arrested on Monday afternoon, in connection with "criminal breach of trust" in respect of Rs. 8,000 and "falsification of accounts."

It was alleged against the accused that he had received customers' monies, which he failed to credit, in the firm's books, but misappropriated the same and manipulated the accounts accordingly.

The accused was placed before Mr. D. N. D. Khandalawala, acting Chief Presidency Magistrate, who ordered him to be released on a bail of Rs. 4,000 and a cash security of a like amount.

CRADOCK TRIES IT IN ENGLAND

Introduces Bill To Keep "Sedition" From Schools

A Bill "to prevent the teaching of seditious and blasphemous doctrines and methods to children" will shortly be introduced in the House of Commons by Sir Reginald Craddock (Conservative, English Universities).

The Bill has the support of seven other Conservative members, including the Duchess of Atholl and Major-General Sir Alfred Knox.

"Seditious poison and anti-God doctrines emanating from Russia are taught in some of our schools," said Sir Reginald Craddock "and there is no law to prevent it."

The penalty for breaking the new law will be a fine or imprisonment, or both.

DABHOLKAR SCHOLARSHIPS

The Hon. Secretary, Dabholkar Scholarships Advisory Board, writes:—

As the selection of students for the Dabholkar Scholarships for the year 1933-34 will be made by the Dabholkar Scholarships Advisory Board about the 17th of June 1933 from among the poor and deserving students belonging to the Goud Saraswat Brahmin Community (all subsections included) and studying in High Schools and Colleges managed or recognized by Government or the University of Bombay, applications are invited so as to reach the undersigned on or bbfore 17th June 1933. Poor and deserving girl students of the said community studying in Vernacular or English Schools or Colleges or taking up training in Nursing etc. are also invited to apply. All applications must be made on prescribed Forms which will be supplied to students on their applying for the same.

This requisition applies to the present Dabholkar Scholars also.

PRAYING FOR AMBEDKAR

Nadiad Harijans Wish Him Success

(From A Correspondent.)

NADIAD, April 15.

A meeting of the Depressed Class was held in the Gujarat Backward Class Association Office, Nadiad, yesterday on the occasion of the Anniversary Day of Dr. Ambedker, under the presidentship of Master Keshavlal Pardhubhai Barot.

Mr. D. L. Chauhan spoke at length on the Public activities of the Doctor.

Mr. Adam Bhaga moved a resolution urging Dr. Ambedker to secure for them their complete rights at an early opportunity. The motion was supported and adopted.

The meeting prayed for the long life and success for Dr. Ambedker, and terminated.

BOMBAY PRESIDENCY CHRISTIAN UNION

Inaugurated At Nagpada Neighbourhood House

The Bombay Presidency Christian Union was inaugurated by the Right Rev. Bishop of Bombay at Nagpada Neighbourhood House on Monday evening.

Mr. V. A. Kshirsagar Mr. K. K. Thomas and others speaking on the objects and the ideals of the Union observed it is a society mainly managed by young men and women to help the members of the Indian Christian community who are in difficulties, and thereby serve to uplift the community.

The Bishop of Bombay speaking in Marathi expressed his gratification at the existence of the Union and hoped that it would do useful work.

The proceedings terminated with a social gathering.

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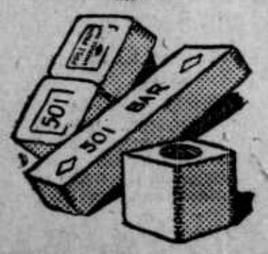

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Reuter Forecasts Moscow Verdict

(Continued from Pape 12.)

secutor reading from bulky notes, declared: "Our enemies tried to press us too hard. I hope the result of the trial will come as a blow to them. We will not allow anyone to interfere with our internal affairs."

The capitalists did not like the Soviet court, because it was a class court.

Mr. Patrick, a British Conservative M.P., had said that he was ashamed to see judges smoking and had to sit hard in his seat at a trial in Russia. "The difference between our and the British Courts, according to Britain, is that their's is just and ours' not." (Mr. Patrick, described in the House of Commons on April 5, a trial that he attended at Moscow and said that the "court was an organ of class war.")

ATTACK ON BRITISH COURTS.

M. Vyshiniski quoted Karl Marx's remark that in English courts there was one law for the rich and another for the poor and said that in England, third degree methods were in use as was evidenced in the case of Lt. Baillie-Stewart." "We have only true justice in the world."

M. Vyshiniski asserted that Mr. Monkhouse and Mr. Tornton "tried to insult the Court by obeying the orders contained in the White Paper" but were unable to prove ill-treatment.

Mr. Monkhouse first lied about the length of the interrogation and then apologised. M. Vyshinski hoped that the Court would not pay attention to the pleas of the criminals, Messrs. Monkhouse, Cushny and Thornton, with regard to treatment.

M. Vyshinski vehemently declared that "in this trial we see a new class fight, which is dangerous and subterranean.

"Oleinix and Kutusova are among the most detestable of our enemies. The Russian accused are the natural sabotageurs, but we must not pardon them although sabotage is being stamped out quickly in the Soviet." The crimes of Mr. Monkhouse and Mr. Thornton were "too disgusting" and they were worse than the Russian prisoners.

METAL CAN WRECK.

On the resumption of the trial at 7-15 p.m. the Court was packed and some spectators had to stand.

The Foreman of the Experts Committee read the answers to Monkhouses question declaring 'inter alia' that a piece of metal could penetrate the protective screen and wreck a turbine. Tests showed that the turbine was not according to specifications indicated in the guarantee. There was negligence in correcting the blade defects. The Commission had noted that one of the turbines at the Moscow electric station was not supplied by Metropolitan Vickers.

Mr. Monkhouse jumed up and said that he was not satisfied with the answers. If the guarantees were not fulfilled, Arcos ought to have been notified.

M. Roginsky, the Asistant Prosecutor, said that they were not trying the company (Metropolitan Vickers), but its employees.

Mr. Monkhouse replied that most of the answers were directed against the company and not the accused.

M. Vyshinski then began summing up which is expected to last five hours.

The definition of the word espionage was read in the Court from an English legal dictionary by M. Vyshinski who stated: "We have the exact definition of espionage corresponding to the English definition.

M. Vyshinski pointed out that those seeking information regarding he political sentiment of the people were not guilty of espionage.

CHARGE OF BRIBERY.

He then veered from the subject to the charges of bribery and said that Mr. Monkhouse could not explain the payment of 3,000 roubles to Dolgoff and whether it was a gift or loan. "It may be that the English engineers think of giving small presents. That does not contitute bribery in Soviet Russia. It is bribery even under the English law. Mr. Monkhouse and Mr. Thornton know that they will be severely punished for bribery. Bribery is the most serious crime from the standpoint of the Soviet."—Reuter.

NO WAR WITH RUSSIA

Derby Conference Threatens General Strike

(Special Cable).

LONDON, April 17.

"If war comes we shall stand openly with Russia," declare Mr. Fenner Brockway, Secretary of the Independent Labour Party, at the Annual Conference at Derby. The conference resolved to agitate for a general strike in the event of any attempt to make war on Russia.

"HIS CLIENTS TOLD TRUTH"

Counsel Of Russian Accused Addresses Court

MOSCOW April 17.

An attempt to assist his clients by throwing the whole blame on the British accused was made on the resumption of the Metropolitan Vickers trial in the evening by M. Kaznachieff, counsel for Gusev, Sokoloff and Oleinik, the Russian accused in the case, in his first speech for the defence. "When you, Comrade Judge, decide the verdict," counsel said, "remember that before Gusev met Mr. MacDonald and Mr. Thornton he was only an inactive counter-revolutionary." Counsel added that Mr. MacDonald and Mr. Thornton claimed to have signed their confessions under pressure while his clients told the truth and since the latter confessed freely the penalty in their cases should be less.—Reuter.

FUTURE OF ANGLO-SOVIET RELATIONS

All Depends On Moderation Of Sentences

MOSCOW, April 17.

Moderation of M. Vyshinshkis' demands coinciding with the British Parliament's action with regard to the Russian trade is freely commented on in British circles here.

Well-informed persons express the opinion that a moderate verdict would constitute an influental factor in the situation with regard to future Anglo-Soviet diplomatic relations, while as regards business aspect of the affair, it is understood that anyhow Messrs. Buckle and Burke are ready to remain in Russia to fulfil outstanding Metropolitan Vickers contracts.—Reuter's Special.

"WASTE OF PUBLIC MONEY"

Beawar Public Protest Against Address To Chairman

(From A Correspondent.)

BEAWAR, Apr. 14.

The citizens of Beawar assembled in large numbers last night at Jawhar Chowk to protest against the decision of the local Municipal Committee, for giving a farewell address to Rai Bahadur Munshi Kishanlal Extra Assistant Commissioner and Chairman Municipal Committee, Beawar, who is being retired after his three years' services.

The following resolution was adopted:—

"This mass meeting of Beawar Citizens strongly protests and shows dissatisfaction against the decision of Local Municipal Committee, who is giving farewell address to Rai Bahadur Munshi Kishanlal, tht Ex-Chairman and thus wasting a sum of about Rs. 150, particularly in such time of economic distress, where reduction is being done everywhere. It further requests to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner and Commissioner Ajmer-Merwara and all the Municipal Commissioners to intervene and prevent such waste of public money."

ANOTHER DERAILMENT

SIMLA, April 17.

The first train which reached Simla after the accident near Dharampore was the relief train which left Dharampore at two in the afternoon and reached Simla at 6-30 in the evening. More than half a dozen passengers were seen bandaged.

The relief train could have started earlier from Dharampore but for another accident which accurred at Dharampore Station itself just when the stranded passengers were discussing the earlier accident. A mixed train while shunting, for the purpose of taking a few third class passengers to Simla, was derailed.

Sir Guthrie Russell delayed his departure to Simla and personally supervised the lifting of the derailed engines. As soon as the line was cleared, a relief train was formed and there was a scramble for seats.

All available taxies were rushed to the scene of accident, and there is heavy transhipment by motor cars.

No train left for Kalka to-day except one which left at 8 p.m. No mails were received in Simla to-day.—A.P.

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DERAILMENT ON SIMLA-KALKA TRAIN

Ten Injured: Relief Train Held Up By Another Accident

NEW DELHI, April 17.

A serious derailment of a passenger train from Kalka to Simla occurred at 7 this morning three furlongs from Dharampore resulting in injuries to about ten persons, one of whom had his legs fractured.

The accident occurred while the train was near a curve where the lines were — presumably bumpy. Had the accident occurred two yards further up, the whole train would have rolled down a deep khud. As it was, the train fell against a mud wall while the engine was facing the khud.

Six carriages were completely derailed and three of them were reduced to splinters. Several passengers received severe shock. The driver and two of the crew were hurt.

RUSSELL ON SCENE.

The first rail motor from Kalka carrying Sir Guthrie Russell, Chief Commissioner for Railways, Mr. Hallet, Home Secretary, Mr. Shillidy, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Bartley and Mr. Lewis, Reforms Commissioner, arrrived at the scene of accident at 9 o'clock. They left the rail-motor and proceeded to Simla by motor car. A relief train was wired for.

About 36 hours will be required to put the lines in order but transhipment of passengers will take place.

FAMOUS ITALIAN CLIMBER KILLED

(Special Cable)

TURIN, April 17.

Doctor Roberto Balestreri, famous climber and president of Italian Academic Alpine Club, was killed by falling into crevasse while mountaineering near Pontresina.

THUNDERSTORM IN S. MADRAS

Light Showers In Bengal & Burma

POONA, April 18.

Yesterday's low pressure area over Mysore has become unimportant after causing scattered thunderstorms there and in South Madras. A few light thundershowers are also reported from the Punjab Hills, Bengal, Assam and Upper Burma. Both day and night temperatures continue appreciably below the normal in United Provinces East Central Provinces and Northeast India. A fresh western disturbance is causing cloud in North Baluchistan.

Chief amounts of rainfall are: Shillong quarter of an inch; Bangalore threequarters and Salem a quarter.

Forecast:—Thunderstorm rain will extend in Assam and Bengal and scattered thunderstorms will occur in Central Provinces, North Madras Coast, East Deccan, Mysore and South Madras. Light local showers are also likely along the North-West Frontier.—A.P.

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BOMBAY WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19, 1933

EMPIRE THEATRE BOMB CASE JUDGMENT

Magistrate Lets Off Accused for Want of Evidence

BUT POLICE RE-ARREST ALL UNDER ORDINANCE ACT

The four persons who were arrested by the Special Branch of the Bombay C.I.D. under the Criminal Law Amendment Act and the Explosive Substance Act, were discharged on Tuesday morning, by the Acting Chief Presidency Magistrate.

They were all rearrested immediately under the Ordinance Act.

HOUSE RAIDS AND ARRESTS

It will be recalled that soon after the explosion of a bomb in the Empire Theatre on the night of the 25th March last, the Special Branch of the Bombay C.I.D. raided a house at Kumbharwada, where they recovered a thesis on the manufacture of bombs, some bottles of acids and some powders. Subsequently they arrested the alleged owner of these articles from Calcutta, Ramchandre Waman Pathare.

Some time later two Desai brothers at Girgaon, one M. D. Bendre from Bandra and Ganesh Damodar Savarkar from Khar were arrested by the police. During the police investigation one of the Desai brothers was discharged.

On Tuesday morning the four other accused were also discharged for want of evidence.

The police, however, rearrested them under the Ordinance Act.

SIX PERSONS KILLED

Crushed Under Tree Uprooted By Storm

MADRAS, Apr. 15.

A correspondent from Tiruppur wires that news has reached Tiruppur that six persons who were taking rest under a big tree by the Kangyam Vellkoil Road were crushed to death when the tree was uprooted by a storm and a few others were injured.—A. P.

TWO OFFICERS AND ENGINEER KILLED

Chinese Customs Vessel Fired On

(SEPCIAL CABLE)

HONGKONG, April 17.

The Customs vessel stranded in the mudbank was fired on from the shore. Officer Baldwin, ex-light weight champion, navy officer Pearce and Chinese engineer were wounded.

Customs people replied with hotchkiss guns but were overwhelmed and pirates boarded and looted the vessel.

Baldwin managed to scramble ashore and reach hospital at Macao where he died.

A Portuguese motorlaunch despatched to the scene found the bodies of the other two wounded men.

Search for the Customs vessel is in progress.

An earlier cable stated that two European officers and a Chinese Engineer were killed and several of the crew wounded when Pirates fired on a Chinese maritime customs vessel which was grounded near Macao.

MRS. NAIDU REACHES HYDERABAD

HYDERABAD (Dn.. Apl. 17.

Mrs. Sarojini Naidu arrived here this morning for a brief stay. She was warmly welcomed at the station by numerous friends and admirers.

Sir Akbar Hydari who was to leave for Bombay 'en route' to England has postponed his departure by a week owing to urgent State affairs. As at present arranged, he expects to sail from Bombay on April 29.—A.P.

WANTED TO KILL HITLER?

Bavarian Police Arrest Man With Compromising Paraphernalia

BERLIN, April 17.

A man named Paul Orlowsky has been arrested by the police at Berchtesgaden, Bavaria, where Chancellor Hitler is spending the Easter on suspicion of preparing an attempt on the life of Hitler.

The police declared that Orlowsky behaved suspiciously and possessed forged Nazi Party papers, forged passport and loaded revolver and "narcotics."—Reuter.

TWO KILLED & TEN INJURED

Sequel To Temple Mantapam Collapse In S. India

TINNEVELLY, April 17.

Two persons were killed and ten were seriously injured as a result of collapse of a temple Mantapam owing to heavy rain in a village in Tenkasi Taluk.—A.P.

SPIRITUALISTS IN CONFERENCE

Mr. Rishi Expounds Doctrine Of Rebirth At Hardwar

(From A Correspondent.)

HARDWAR, April 16.

The All-India Spiritualists Conference was held at Hardwar, Rishikula Vidyapeetha, on the occasion of its Silver Jubilee. It was presided over by the Hon. Raj Bahadur Lala Jagdish Prasad, M.C.S., Rais Muzaffarnagar.

Mr. V. D. Rishi, who was the principal speaker, explained the creed of spiritualism, and pointed out that it was not inconsistent with the doctrine of re-birth. Magic Lantern demonstration of spirit photographs and other pictures was held at night, which brought home the truth of spirit return.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted:—

This conference believes in the continuity of life after death, and the possibility of communication with those who have gone over.

This Conference deems it essential to form a net-work of spiritualistic societies, with a view to make organised efforts to disseminate this knowledge among the masses.

EX-GOVERNOR IN CAR ACCIDENT

Queen's Chauffeur And Secretary's Mother Killed

ROME TRAGEDY

(Special Cable).

ROME, April 17.

Signora Olivieri, mother of the private secretary to the Queen of Italy and her chauffeur were killed and Signor Olivieri injured in a collision between Olivieri's car and the car in which Prince Potenziani, ex-Governor of Rome was driving along Ostian speedway with an American lady.

THEY WON'T BE NEEDED NOW!

U. S. Resolves To Put Embargo On Far-East Bound Arms

WASHINGTON, April 17

The Bil passed by the House of Representatives authorises the President to forbid shipment of arms and munitions from the United States to either or any belligerents anywhere in the world after securing "co-operation of such governments as the President deems necessary."

Penalty for violation of law is fine of 10,000 dollars and two years' imprisonment.—Reuter.

HERRIOT OFF FOR WASHINGTON

HAVRE, April 17.

A huge crowd on the docks cheered M. Herriot when he sailed this evening aboard "Ile de France" as France's special representative to participate in the conversations at Washington.—Reuter.

PATEL LEAVES FOR VIENNA

LONDON, April 17.

Mr V. J. Patel left for Vienna this evening.

He received many messages of sympathy from India and from Ireland.—Reuter.

FRED TERRY DEAD

(Special Cable).

LONDON, April 18.

The death has occurred of veteran actor Fred Terry.

NORTHERN 'UNION RUGBY

Barrow Trounce Widnes

LONDON, April 17.

Following are the results of matches played under Rugby Northern Union Rules to-day.—

Barrow 19, Widnes 9.
Batley 10, Featherstone 10.
Bramley 5, Dewsbury 10.
Castleford 12, Leeds 10.
Halifax 33, Oldham 8.
Hull Kingston Rovers 2, York 14.
Hunslet 26, Hull 7.
Keighley 20, Bradford 7.
Rochdale 15, St. Helen's Recreation 12.
Salford 19, Wigan 4.
St. Helen's 26, Brougton 0.
Wakefield 12, Huddersfield 8.
Warrington 29, Swinton 4.
Wigan Highfield 14, Leigh 8.—Reuter.

PREMIER BENNET FOR WASHINGTON

(Special Cable).

OTTAWA, April 18.

It is officially announced that Premier Bennett will leave for Washington on April 24 in connection with the Roosevelt-MacDonald meeting and stay for two days at the Canadian Legation and two days at White House as guest of Mr. Roosevelt.

He will return to Ottawa on 28th April.

NATIONAL WEEK KHADDAR DRIVE

A lady stall-skeeper in Vile Parle's Swadeshi Bazaar.
(For other pictures see page 12).

Stall of pure hand-spun and hand-woven khadi.

JAPS OCCUPY NEW 1500 AREA

South Of Great Wall Fall Into Their Hands

Also Masters Of Chinwangtao Where British Money Is Invested

PEIPING, April 17.

An area of about 1,500 square miles south of the Great Wall is now in Japanese possession as a result of the withdrawal of the Chinese troops to the right bank of the Luan river after the Japanese and Manchukuo forces had driven them out of Chinwangtao, the chief port for coal exports from the Kailan Mines, in which British capital is largely interested.

It is believed that the Japanese have also taken the popular seaside resort of Peitaiho, near Chingwangto and the foreigners who had gone there for the Easter holidays left the place hurriedly.

ANOTHER MILL TO CLOSE DOWN

Trade Depression Tells In Ahmedabad

AHMEDABAD, April 18.

One more mill in Ahmedabad, called the City Mill, which is under the Managing Agency of Seth Chimanlal Girdhardas, President of the Ahmedabad Millowners' Association has decided to close down owing to trade depression and has put up notice to that effect giving one month's notice to all its employees.

It will be recalled that the Laxmi Cotton Mill was the first mill to close down from 1st of this month for the same reason.—A.P.

COMMITTED DOUBLE MURDER

Col: Abbott's Servant Makes Clean Breast Of It

QUETTA, April 18.

Abdul Rahman Misalchi, one of Col. Abbott's servants, is reported to have confessed before a Magistrate that he committed double murder having been incensed by the rebukes from Col. Abbott that night after the guests had departed who had been invited to dinned. The police is making further investigation.—A.P.

I. R. A. CELEBRATES EASTER

Preaches Boycott Of British Goods

(SPECIAL CABLE.)

LONDON, April 16.

Easter was celebrated in Dublin with the march of five thousand I. R. A. to Glasnovin Cemetery where service was held in memory of Republicans killed in 1916.

The proclamation of I. R. A. Army Council was read declaring that their object was to break connection with England and to assert Irelands inalienable right of freedom as a sovereign republic.

Right to arm for national independence must be insisted on and British trade rigidly boycotted.—Reuter.

Beawar:—A memorial signed by several prominent citizens of Beawar has been sent to the All-India Jain Sadhu Sammelan Ajmer requesting Sadhus to decide and unite themselves into one from different sections and thus to save Jain Muni Shri Misrilalji who is on Hunger strike.

Indore:—The annual ceremony of the Maharashtra Sahitya Sabha was held on Friday in the King Edward Hall under the presidentship of Sardar B. V. Kibe Saheb.

REUTER FORECASTS MOSCOW VERDICT

Prosecution Speaks Of Five-Year Plan Of Wreckers

DEFENCE COUNSEL APPEAL TO JUDGES FOR MERCY TO ACCUSED

(Special Cable.)

MOSCOW, April 17.

Reuter understands that sentences in the Moscow Trial may possibly be as follows:

MacDonald and Thornton 10 years imprisonment.
Monkhouse three years imprisonment.
Cushny and Nordwall released bound over;
Gusev and Lovanov probably death sentences and other accused various terms of imprisonment.

It is surmised that sentences on Britishers will be commuted to exile. While it is not thought likely that any accused except Gregory will be acquitted, general relief has been caused by the remark of Mr. Vyshinsky "We don't want blood and vengeance."

M. Kaznachief urged that Sokoloff was 'only second rate saboteur' for which a decade imprisonment was sufficient punishment.

He hoped that Oleinik would be given a crance to Reform asd work for the Soviet.

M. Schwarts, counsel for Russian accused Zorin, Krashennikov and Sukharontch—Kin, pleader trat Sukharoutchkin committed serious crimes but surrounded by asti-Soviet people and sabotageurs, while Kraschenninkoy confessed with very great remorse.

Counsel spoke without convisction. The Court was very attentive and people were coughing, shuffling their feet and occasionally laughing.

TEACHING TO SPY.

M. Schwartz concluded by pleading to the judges not to wreak vengeance, but to spare the lives of his clients.

M. Pines, counsel for Lobanoff, Lebedieff and Siebert blamed Nordwall for teachi
to spy and appealed to the Bench to consider their youth.

M. Smirnoff MacDonald's counsel greatly impressed the court "TERRIBLE GUSEV."

He pointed out that MacDonald was of humble birth and a cripple. He came to Russia ignorant of the country and met the "terrible Gusev" who would sell his country for few hundred roubles. MacDonald was taught from youth to uphold honour. In the interests of his firm, he was told to collect information, and so. It was unjust to class as underling MacDonald with Monkhouse or Thornton when deciding the verdict.

MacDonald committed a serious crime, but had given his word of honour never to repeat it.

M. Smirnoff concluded hoping that MacDonald would be useful to the Soviet in future.

The Court adjourned at 10-15 p. m. until 10 a. m. on April 18.

FIVE YEAR PLAN OF WRECKERS

Sabotage Started In 1928, Says Vyshinsky

(Special Cable).

MOSCOW, April 17.

When the Court resumed hearing of the case against the British engineers M. Vyshinsky, the Public Prosecutor, continued the summing up for the prosecution with renewed vigour.

Some of the Englishmen showed signs of the terrible strain, M. Vyshinsky recited the technical defects in Metropolitan Vickers' products in support of his argument and said that the only reason for the breakdown was sabotage in order to reduce the output.

He proceeded to flatter Mr. MacDonald for "confessing," and said that "he was honest, if it was possible to talk about honesty in connection with these people. He was brave, braver than Mr. Thornton—this gallant Mesopotamian soldier."

M. Vyshinsky charged Mr. Cushny with ignoring the bad working of turbine Number two, showing that he did not care whether it worked well or badly. M. Vyshinsky suggested that the wreckers had their own "five year plan," at the chief Moscow station which supplies power for industrial activities round Moscow, as sabotaging started in 1928.

He added: "There is one accused of whose guilt I am uncertain. I shall discuss the section under which he should be charged later." This is supposed to refer to Mr. Gregory.

M. Vyshinsky claimed to have photographs constituting proofs of guilt.

TROUSERS

M. Vyshinsky declared that Mr. MacDonald was an experienced secret service agent, and cleverer than the rest. He was caught red-handed, sabotaging. He informed his co-prisoners later on that the information he gathered was not in the interest of Metropolitan Vickers, and described some of Mr. Thornton's statements in Court as "nonsense" and "child's play."

Among the bribes alleged to have been made by Mr. Thornton were eau de cologne and a pair of trousers.

"I shall demand the severest punishment for Gusev the self-confessed sabotageur and secret agent," malignantly asserted M. Vyshinsky. Apparently doomed, Gussev started at the floor with bowed head.

FUR COAT.

M. Vyshinsky said they had "surplus evidence" against Mr. Nordwall, who made four mistakes in giving evidence about the fur coat he gave to the "nasty, dirty Lobanov."

M. Vyshinsky dismissed the Russian prisoners quickly differentiating the degrees of their culpability. For example, Siebert's crimes were balanced by his confession, and did not require a severe sentence, where as Sukouroschim worked under Mr. Thornton and was instrumental in wrecking the first Moscow station and deserved a heavy punishment.

Apparently M. Vyshinsky will ask for one death sentence only namely, for Gusev.

Before the adjournment of the Court for lunch M. Vyshinsky concluded his summing up and declared that except for Mr. Gregory all the prisoners were guilty under article 58 according to which the maximum sentence is of shooting, but he stated that the failure of their intentions was a mitigating circumstances.

RETORT TO BRITAIN

Vyshinsky Refers To Baille-Stewart Case

(Special Cable.)

MOSCOW, April 16.

At the resumed hearing of the case against the British Engineer, M. Vyshinski, the public pro-

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